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PREFACE

THE New Champion Spelling Book preserves the general plan and organization of the original Champion Spelling Book, which has met the enthusiastic approval of teachers, principals, and superintendents throughout the country.

Since its publication, however, many new words have come into use, and many investigations have been made and books published on the subject of spelling vocabularies by such specialists as Ayres, Cook and O'Shea, Pryor, and Suzzallo. The Champion Spelling Book has therefore been made over so far as necessary to incorporate the additional words that need to be taught, and to omit a corresponding number of words that are less needed.

In resetting the book for this purpose, the opportunity has been taken to make various other changes, especially in the grading of words and in the grading and arrangement of the supplementary exercises. The length of the book has been increased by a few pages in order to incorporate a considerably larger number of dictation exercises.

The course, as before, includes six sections, each designed for a year's work. The intensive teaching of two new words daily and the employment of spelling contests, making drill and review effective, are the prominent features in the new book as in the old, as explained in the following pages. It was by these methods that Cleveland boys and girls were prepared to win their famous victory in the National Education Association spelling contest; hence the name of this book.

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The Hundred Demons. — Among the prominent words presented for intensive teaching are all of those which were selected by Professor W. Franklin Jones of the University of South Dakota as the hundred most troublesome words in the English language. They are often referred to as the "Hundred Spelling Demons." The system of this book provides for sufficient teaching and review of these words, but they are listed below so that the teacher may, if desired, give them special attention.

ache	done	making	there
again	don't	many	though
always	early	meant	through
among	easy	minute	tired
answer	enough	much	to-night
any	every	none	too
been	February	often	trouble
beginning	forty	once	truly
believe	friend	piece	Tuesday
blue	grammar	raise	two
break	guess	read	used
built	half	ready	very
business	having	said	wear
busy	hear	says	Wednesday
buy	heard	seems	week
can't	here	separate	where
choose	hoarse	shoes	whether
color	hour	since	which
coming	instead	some	whole
cough	just	straight	women
could	knew	sugar	won't
country	know	sure	would
dear	laid	tear	write
doctor	loose	they	writing
does	lose	their	wrote

Ayres Measuring Scale. — The thousand words included by Leonard P. Ayres in his "Measuring Scale for Ability in Spelling" are those which he found to be the thousand words most frequently used. They range from words of extreme difficulty in spelling to words which offer no spelling difficulty whatever. Therefore in this book some of these thousand words are intensively taught as prominent words, and others appear only as subordinate words or in supplementary exercises. A few words which are learned before the pupil begins the formal study of spelling, or words which present no difficulty in spelling, are omitted from the book except as they occur incidentally in dictation exercises. For the convenience of teachers who may wish to review the spelling of these few easiest words, the following list presents the words of the Ayres Measuring Scale which are not included in the formal lessons or word lists of this book:[1]

a	fine	how	men	say
am	five	I	miss	she
an	fix	if	my	six
and	go	in	nine	stay
are	got	is	of	ten
as	had	it	on	the
at	hand	land	or	up
band	has	law	pay	us
big	hat	less	play	we
boy	he	let	put	with
did	her	lot	ran	yes
do	his	may	run	yet
end	hot	me	saw	you

[1] In accordance with Webster's New International Dictionary, this book has *inclose* spelled with the initial *i* instead of the alternative form "enclose" which appears in the Ayres Scale.

CHART OF VOCALS AND VOWEL SUBSTITUTES

Symbol	Name	Key Word	Substitute Symbol	Key Word
ā	long	mate	e̱	prey
ă	short	mat		
á	medial	ask		
ä	Italian	ah, far		
â	circumflex	care	ê	where
ȧ	modified long	preface		
ą	obscured medial	sofa		
ē	long	me	ee ĭ	seen marine
ĕ	short	met		
ẽ	tilde	over	ã ĭ ŏ	liar tapir sailor
ė	modified long	create		
ī	long	tine	ȳ	my
ĭ	short	tin	y̆	abyss
ō	long	bone		
ŏ	short	not	ạ	what
ȯ	medial	soft		
ô	broad	nor	ạ̈ au, aw	fall author, saw
ȯ	modified long	obey		
ōō	long	boot	ọ̈, ụ̈ ew (after *r*)	do, rude threw
ŏŏ	short	foot	ọ̆, ụ̆	wolf, push
ū	long	use, tune	ew	few
ŭ	short	up	ȯ	done
û	circumflex	urge	ẽ ĭ ŏ	fern bird work
ṻ	modified long	unite		
ou		sound	ow	cow
oi		oil	oy	boy

CHART OF CONSONANT SOUNDS

(Cognates on the Same Line)

SUBVOCALS			ASPIRATES		
Symbol	Key Word	Substitute	Symbol	Key Word	Substitute
b	bet		p	pet	
d	dot		t	tin	sometimes final ed
ḏ	verdure		ṯ	nature	
ḡ	get		k	kit	e, ck, q
			h	hat	
j	jet	ġ, dġ	ch	chin	tch
l	lid				
m	mit				
n	not				
ṉ	finger	ng			
r	rat, tar				
th	that		th	thin	
v	vat		f	fat	ph, gh
w	woe	u (especially after *q*)	wh	when	
ẋ	exist	gz, gs̱	x	box	ks, es, cks
y	yet	i			
z	buzz	s̱	s	sin	ç
z(h)	azure	s̱i (followed by *o*)	sh	shot	çh; also ce, ci, si, or ti (before *a* or *o*)

Italic letters are silent.

Webster's New International Dictionary is followed as the standard authority in spelling, syllabication, and pronunciation. To avoid confusing the pupil, only the preferred spelling or pronunciation is given in the case of words that may be spelled or pronounced in more than one way.

RULES FOR SPELLING

1. Final *y*, preceded by a vowel, is retained before any suffix.[1] Examples: *play*ed, *play*ful, *monkey*s, *obey*ing.

2. Final *y*, preceded by a consonant, is retained before a suffix beginning with *i*, but is changed to *i* before any other suffix.[2] Examples: *dry*ing, *copy*ist; *dri*ed, *dri*es, *countri*es, *lazi*er, *lazi*ly.

3. Final *e* is retained before a suffix beginning with a consonant.[3] Examples: *love*ly, *move*ment, *wire*less.

4. Final *e* is usually dropped before a suffix beginning with a vowel.[4] Examples: *lov*ing, *mov*able, *notic*ing, *chang*ing. BUT:

5. In endings *ce* and *ge*, final *e* is retained before a suffix beginning with *a* or *o*. Examples: *notice*ably, *change*able, *outrage*ous.

6. In endings *oe* and *ee*, final *e* is retained before any suffix except one beginning with *e*. Examples: *hoe*ing, *shoe*ing, *see*ing; *free*r.

7. Final *ie* is changed to *y* before a suffix beginning with *i*. Examples: *dy*ing, *ly*ing.

8. Monosyllables and words accented on the last syllable, ending in a single consonant preceded by a single vowel, double the final consonant on taking a suffix beginning with a vowel.[5] Examples: *stopp*ing, *regrett*able, *preferr*ed, *transferr*ing, *excell*ent.

9. Words do not double a final single consonant on taking a suffix beginning with a vowel, if the final consonant is preceded by two vowels, or if the word is accented on any syllable except the last.[6] Examples: *moan*ing, *travel*ing.

[1] Exceptions: *daily*, *laid*, *paid*, *said*, *saith*, *slain*.

[2] Exceptions: *dryly*, *dryness*, *shyly*, *shyness*, *slyly*, *slyness*; *beauteous*, *piteous*, *bounteous*, *plenteous*, *duteous*.

[3] Exceptions: *abridgment*, *acknowledgment*, *judgment*, *lodgment*, *argument*, *awful*, *duly*, *duty*, *truly*, *wholly*, *nursling*, *wisdom*.

[4] Exceptions: *acreage*, *mileage*, *singeing*, *tingeing*, *dyeing*, and words covered by rules 5, 6, and 7.

[5] Exceptions: *gases*, *gaseous*; *chagrined*; *preferable*, *transferable*, *preference*, and other derivatives of words ending in *-fer*, with suffixes other than *ed* and *ing*. Final *x* is never doubled.

[6] Exceptions: *cancellation*, *tranquillity*, *woolly*; derivatives of *crystal*, *metal*, *humbug*, and *periwig*, as *crystallize*, *metallic*, *humbugged*, etc. In *quizzing*, *equipped*, and other such words, the *u* is not really a vowel.

SECTION I

1

bread		fruit	
plum	feel	food	meat
apple	even	save	beans

The boys are eating *bread* and butter. What kind of *fruit* is this?

2

please		write	
went	take	this	seeing
home	make	those	getting

3

sweet		sug′ar	
use	short	hide	face
key	story	hidden	nose

4

there		here	
soon	hoe	day	Sunday
bring	weed	noon	Monday

5

they		aunt	
harm	lamb	send	air
foolish	kitten	come	cool

6[1]

for'ty		two	
sweet	race	lazy	bent
sugar	fruit	life	mask

7

flour		mak'ing	
bake	here	lock	taking
bread	there	fence	thread

8

heard		ear'ly	
also	away	track	Thursday
about	above	shower	Friday

9

hun'dred		um'brel'la	
aunt	root	flax	leaf
mother	tender	talk	straw

10

al'ways		break	
deep	they	drag	camp
bottom	write	stone	muddy

Supplementary Ex. 1: Dictation

Break, break, break,
On thy cold gray stones, O sea!

— TENNYSON.

[1] Lessons numbered in this manner are to be given Mondays.

11

dear		wom′en	
rice	please	hope	shell
flour	umbrella	grand	hundred

12

night		tried	
ever	lift	two	making
asleep	behind	four	thinner

13

mu′sic		hear	
boat	sink	tie	heard
sank	float	oar	buzz

14

know		read′y	
west	wise	eat	dance
want	walk	drink	twelve

15

blue		ev′er y	
find	forty	lesson	true
break	drive	always	helpless

Supplementary Ex. 2: Dictation

There are many flags in many lands,
  There are flags of every hue,
But there is no flag, however grand,
  Like our own Red, White, and Blue.

16

lose		an′y	
losing	able	tried	song
few	women	hear	music

17

pen′cil		shoes	
rust	brass	reap	fork
thirty	dear	gather	night

18

pret′ty		flow′er	
sang	clerk	yard	blue
steam	know	price	narrow

19

min′ute		up stairs′	
early	after	neat	folded
ready	before	finger	pocket

20

a gain′		field	
belt	front	first	act
yellow	house	follow	body

Supplementary Ex. 3: ă as in ăt. Short a

băck	thăn	ădd	glăd
crăck	blăck	sănd′y	whăck

Find words on pages 46 to 49 in which ă occurs.

21

yes′ter day		catch	
tea	any	pretty	lose
minute	anyway	anything	pencil

22

threw		gold′en	
kept	sixty	seat	clover
term	twenty	every	flower

She *threw* the blue flower away.

23

close		does	
time	lamp	fear	fret
clock	shade	dream	gasp

24

quite		seems	
born	burn	warm	grapes
have	store	upstairs	berries

25

wear		tear	
shoes	boot	moss	stove
shine	tight	formed	summer

You may *wear* your new dress if you will not *tear* it.

Supplementary Ex. 4: Dictation

Even a child is known by his doings, whether his work be pure and whether it be right. — PROVERBS.

26

whole		done	
threw	field	does	again
catch	yesterday	plow	golden

Did he *plow* the *whole* field yesterday?

27

tired		sau′cy	
book	close	coat	wear
bench	quite	tear	worn

28

friend		some	
part	tart	little	wink
start	cook	mouse	itself

29

fig′ure		com′ing	
skin	hair	lark	taste
spin	mouth	cattle	pear

30

a fraid′		floor	
scare	hurry	chalk	door
snake	rattle	silver	limb

Supplementary Ex. 5: ĕ **as in** mĕt. **Short** e

cĕnts	bĕst	dĕsk	nĕxt
spĕnt	stĕps	hĕld	drĕss

Find words on pages 46 to 49 in which ĕ occurs.

31

cel′lar		bit′ten	
good	friend	saucy	some
whole	coming	seems	prunes

32

ninth		week	
full	eggs	cash	kind
smoke	done	cent	figure

33

great		e nough′	
lady	sung	oak	beech
tired	madam	acorn	spruce

Great oaks from little *acorns* grow.

34

el′e phant		bridge	
carry	strap	blow	care
stamp	broke	tumble	blossom

35

use′ful		of′fice	
note	south	dirt	high
swan	winter	dirty	fresh

Supplementary Ex. 6: Dictation

How far that little candle throws his beams!
So shines a good deed in a naughty world.

— SHAKESPEARE.

36

just		eight	
room	great	bitten	floor
cellar	elephant	afraid	bridge

37

worse		wheat	
worst	both	bird	ninth
myself	queer	shears	enough

38

ba′con		knob	
think	block	pupil	class
hurt	count	herself	near

39

lounge		through	
other	below	cage	wolf
week	brave	bear	claws

A bird flew *through* the open door.

Supplementary Ex. 7: ĭ **as in** ĭt; ў **as in** mўth. **Short** i

bĭt′ter	whĭff	lĭve	cĭt′ў
sĭm′ple	bĭg′ger	Its	ba′bў

Find words on pages 46 to 49 in which ĭ occurs.

Supplementary Ex. 8: Dictation

Dare to be true: nothing can need a lie;
A fault, which needs it most, grows two thereby.

— HERBERT.

40

FIRST SPELLING CONTEST

bread	fruit	please	write
sweet	sugar	there	here
they	aunt	forty	two
flour	making	heard	early
hundred	umbrella	always	break
dear	women	night	tried
music	hear	know	ready
blue	every	lose	any
pencil	shoes	pretty	flower
minute	upstairs	again	field
yesterday	catch	threw	golden
close	does	quite	seems
wear	tear	whole	done
tired	saucy	friend	some
figure	coming	afraid	floor
cellar	bitten	ninth	week
great	enough	elephant	bridge
useful	office	just	eight
worse	wheat	bacon	knob
lounge		through	

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

41

pitch'er		bought	
pull	teach	hoping	office
upward	wheat	hopping	useful

42

or'ange		col'or	
park	love	just	trade
breeze	lovely	hoof	bacon

43

sur prise'		mail	
gave	cabin	tidy	sweep
eight	lounge	clean	broom

44

run'ning		laugh	
cape	knit	knob	cloth
button	knitted	jacket	cotton

45

once		o'clock'	
leak	thaw	flow	worse
through	sleet	water	dipper

Supplementary Ex. 9: Dictation

God made the sky that looks so blue;
He made the grass so green;
He made the flowers that smell so sweet,
In pretty color seen. —JANE TAYLOR.

46

leaves broad

bought running mail begin
pitcher surprise letter laugh

47

break'fast muf'fin

rode color white bright
path berry dishes brown

48

un'cle kitch'en

yell cried sleep need
help weep sheep peep

49

noise crumbs

paid sold slice shall
town give orange chew

50

car'ried pic'ture

baking crust goose spell
pudding heat dinner butter

Supplementary Ex. 10: ŏ **as in** ŏn; ạ **as in** whạt. **Short o**

bŏx tŏp wạs swạn
stŏp ŏf'fice wạsp squạt

Find words on pages 46 to 49 in which ŏ occurs.

51

hatch'et hav'ing

noise	**broad**	**muffin**	**crumbs**
uncle	**o'clock**	**kitchen**	**breakfast**

52

a mong' be gin'ning

fried	**work**	**more**	**once**
fright	**flame**	**most**	**warp**

53

lone'some oat'meal

glue	**kick**	**cloud**	**storm**
melt	**thick**	**burst**	**leaves**

54

a'pron wool'en

wife	**took**	**third**	**fifty**
twice	**fifth**	**number**	**fourteen**

55

chase bush'es

wore	stiff	joyful	keep
core	single	spring	having

Supplementary Ex. 11: ŭ **as in** ŭp; ȯ **as in** sȯn. **Short** u

rŭst	cŭt	tȯn	cȯmes
mŭst	clŭb	shȯv'ing	can'nȯn

Find words on pages 46 to 49 in which ŭ occurs.

56

stitch		scratch	
papa	picture	carried	mile
hatchet	lonesome	beginning	east

A *stitch* in time saves nine.

57

be tween′		chief	
sheet	shirt	tore	stir
among	spool	apron	oatmeal

58

ver′y		man′y	
gate	link	name	split
hinge	girl	sir	wood

59

coax		neigh′bor	
page	till	stood	clip
nice	cost	stoop	shod

60

laid		caught	
grab	snap	cross	strike
pinch	chase	mean	kicked

Supplementary Ex. 12: Dictation

For manners are not idle, but the fruit
Of loyal nature, and of noble mind.

— TENNYSON.

61

piece		said	
stitch	coax	scratch	chief
bushes	woolen	between	neighbor

62

too		bus'y	
inch	jerk	eye	foot
square	throw	many	very

63

stud'y		nap'kin	
chain	bait	bound	swell
whale	caught	large	pride

64

buck'et		pour	
creep	crept	trap	rude
spider	stuck	funny	struck

65

brought		knives	
flew	wasp	join	knife
wren	sting	flies	knee

Supplementary Ex. 13: Homonyms

flour, flower here, hear be, bee to, too, two

Bread is made of *flour*. I have a red *flower*. *Here* is a *bee*. Can you *hear* it buzz? Please *be* still. I shall try *to* be still. She is *too* tall. Here are *two* bees.

66

chil'dren		cush'ion	
child	study	laid	said
piece	studied	busy	pour

67

half		hour	
goes	hang	pushed	too
least	napkin	into	strong

68

thim'ble		writ'ing	
twig	line	look	lying
brush	bucket	knives	bump

69

cen'tral		lan'tern	
ice	year	free	rent
played	maple	blame	charge

70

sau'cer		used	
swung	lucky	gentle	over
around	halter	kindness	manner

He *used* to study an *hour* before breakfast.

Supplementary Ex. 14: Dictation

I pray the prayer of Plato old,—
God make thee beautiful within,
And let thine eyes the good behold
In everything save sin. — WHITTIER.

71

crook'ed		chim'ney	
that	central	lantern	children
then	brought	cushion	writing

72

squir'rel		pic'nic	
untie	bath	drove	smile
puppy	barber	morning	trying

73

school		knew	
stuff	paint	spade	rear
stain	quart	gravel	thimble

74

com'pa ny		quar'ter	
hour	half	army	drill
alone	tenth	battle	frost

75

vil'lage		built	
dollar	slant	light	like
found	grant	robe	fond

Suggestion: Spell much orally. Drill frequently on the short vowel sounds, that pupils may readily recognize them. Attend carefully to the correct pronunciation of all words, and make sure that their meaning and syllabication are understood.

76

wrote		rinse	
crooked	school	quarter	used
squirrel	company	wire	saucer

77

gone		lis'ten	
knew	hold	ashes	earn
forget	screw	chimney	learn

78

eas'y		shelves	
picnic	feet	cloves	soak
stockings	feed	pepper	smell

79

much		shin'ing	
lived	paper	rabbit	horn
began	picked	scamper	meet

Supplementary Ex. 15: kitch'en ar'ti cles

skillet	knives	forks	grater
platters	spoons	dishes	strainer

Supplementary Ex. 16: Homonyms

hole, whole	no, know	see, sea	our, hour
meet, meat	new, knew	threw, through	bear, bare

Use all these words in sentences; for example: *See* the *hole* in my stocking. Give her the *whole* cake. Let us *meet* here. His arms are *bare*.

80

SECOND SPELLING CONTEST

pitcher	bought	orange	color
surprise	mail	running	laugh
once	o'clock	leaves	broad
breakfast	muffin	uncle	kitchen
noise	crumbs	carried	picture
hatchet	having	among	beginning
lonesome	oatmeal	apron	woolen
chase	bushes	stitch	scratch
between	chief	very	many
coax	neighbor	laid	caught
piece	said	too	busy
study	napkin	bucket	pour
brought	knives	children	cushion
half	hour	thimble	writing
central	lantern	saucer	used
crooked	chimney	squirrel	picnic
school	knew	company	quarter
village	built	wrote	rinse
gone	listen	easy	shelves
much		shining	

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

81

doc'tor		says	
poor	build	vest	grunt
lean	built	shut	scream

82

knead		for'est	
loaf	village	brood	rinse
easy	team	gone	scowl

83

stop'ping		nine'ty	
quit	gift	listen	left
offer	check	wrote	stole

84

would		could	
should	pump	three	taffy
shining	frame	blade	much

85

qui'et		coach	
shelf	mixed	sour	lump
shelves	cheese	cream	grow

Supplementary Ex. 17: farm'er plan ta'tion

clover	silo	lawn	patch
daisies	vineyard	stubble	shrubs

Pupils may make a list of articles in the school.

86

Tues'day		dan'de li on	
cane	knead	doctor	forest
would	stopping	could	happy

87

boughs		been	
seam	loss	latch	beat
sleeve	ninety	match	blaze

88

their		mur'mur	
chirp	test	pony	enter
chatter	says	bridle	stable

89

good-by'		to-night'	
dove	goat	brook	grain
robin	plant	farmer	ground

90

no'tice		emp'ty	
nail	quick	bunch	alike
pound	dizzy	nearly	equal

Supplementary Ex. 18: Homonyms

there, their	bow, bough	ring, wring	so, sew
ate, eight	need, knead	beat, beet	seem, seam

Use all these words in sentences; for example: He will go *there* soon. They are eating *their* dinner.

91

pad'lock		pan'try	
pluck	their	coach	been
Tuesday	ears	dandelion	boughs

92

hun'gry		ker'nel	
to-day	Easter	quiet	rich
to-night	church	murmur	green

93

knelt		po lite'	
felt	shoot	draw	fling
nudge	reach	drew	hammer

94

re view'		scorch	
queen	drank	glitter	quill
nation	good-by	throne	rule

95

moist		nei'ther	
hoop	agree	merry	curl
crook	settle	glance	maid

Supplementary Ex. 19: Pronunciation and Word Building

tăp,	tāpe	măn,	māne	spĭn,	spīne
căp,	cāpe	căn,	cāne	dĭn,	dīne
scrăp,	scrāpe	păn,	pāne	bĭt,	bīte

Teachers and pupils may add to this list.

96

straight ought

notice	knelt	empty	polite
padlock	hungry	pantry	kernel

97

waist prompt

oil	copper	review	roar
coal	across	beyond	sprang

98

coun'try cit'ies

owe	rush	crawl	city
own	scorch	ladder	tardy

99

fair ex cuse'

open	within	wipe	tire
knock	without	wring	hire

100

la'dies pleas'ant

bold	either	scar	date
forward	neither	round	second

Supplementary Ex. 20: Pronunciation and Word Building

băd	bĕd	bĭd	bŭd
băt	bĕt	bĭt	bŭt
hăm	hĕm	hĭm	hŭm

Teachers and pupils may add to this list.

101

mon'ey		share	
moist	waist	mash	cities
country	straight	ought	prompt

102

on'ion		thou'sand	
wind	fair	tick	fourth
blew	excuse	feather	verse

103

soap		vel'vet	
place	nothing	mast	icy
ridge	something	cling	chilly

104

touch		veil	
rain	globe	calf	heel
shady	earth	horse	right

This *horse* is *all right.*

105

thir'teen		weigh	
father	God	toss	praise
consent	staff	whirl	banner

Supplementary Ex. 21: Groups *all, alk, uff, ish*

all	fall	talk	cuff	fish
ball	tall	walk	buff	dish
call	small	chalk	snuff	wish

Teachers and pupils may add to these lists.

106

fam'i ly		ba na'na	
money	onion	ladies	velvet
share	peel	pleasant	thousand

107

ug'ly		pad'dle	
common	joke	crowd	speck
sense	shame	touch	soap

108

an'i mal		braid	
quilt	veil	who	spoke
spread	soft	why	praised

109

buy		steak	
street	howl	fire	shape
road	clatter	flash	puzzle

110

ex plain'		hand'ful	
pond	better	order	sent
stories	plume	onward	trunk

Supplementary Ex. 22 : Groups *ell*, *old*, *ame*, *ill*

fell	gold	came	fill	will
well	cold	lame	kill	still
tell	told	same	bill	chill

Teachers and pupils may add to these lists.

111

twen'ty-one' head

family	weigh	heart	braid
thirteen	animal	banana	paddle

112

rough bath'ing

buy	case	stem	deny
bleed	wash	when	ugly

113

prom'ise voice

from	bare	salt	halt
gruff	cheap	steak	march

114

while for got'ten

racket	die	sick	report
mumps	gas	starve	sometimes

115

whose val'ley

stalk	shore	idle	stew
snail	beach	cripple	slowly

Supplementary Ex. 23: Dictation

Who has seen the wind?
  Neither you nor I.
But when the trees bow down their heads
  The wind is passing by. —CHRISTINA ROSSETTI.

116

o'cean ol'ive

explain	rough	head	voice
twenty-one	promise	handful	bathing

117

tick'et twelfth

fold	valley	arch	loud
string	forgotten	chant	sound

118

whis'tle search

hiss	off	ragged	while
talked	taken	playmate	active

119

al'ley of'ten

list	whose	low	hollow
blank	whom	grove	willow

Supplementary Ex. 24: Phonetic Groups

ash	them	sing	cog	cutter
lash	hem	ring	bog	butter
cash	stem	fling	fog	gutter
dash	gem	sling	frog	mutter
flash	shed	spring	log	putter
mash	sled	king	flog	stutter
sash	fled	sting	jog	shutter
smash	bled	swing	hog	sputter

Teachers and pupils may make other groups.

120

THIRD SPELLING CONTEST

says	doctor	knead	forest
stopping	ninety	would	could
quiet	coach	Tuesday	dandelion
boughs	been	their	murmur
good-by	to-night	notice	empty
padlock	pantry	hungry	kernel
knelt	polite	review	scorch
moist	neither	straight	ought
waist	prompt	country	cities
fair	excuse	ladies	pleasant
money	share	onion	thousand
soap	velvet	touch	veil
thirteen	weigh	family	banana
ugly	paddle	animal	braid
buy	steak	explain	handful
twenty-one	head	rough	bathing
promise	voice	while	forgotten
whose	valley	ocean	olive
ticket	twelfth	whistle	search

alley often

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

121

dodge		dou'ble	
roll	cliff	tool	load
bullet	clung	chest	meal

122

bur'y		cen'ter	
plain	boil	spoil	olive
glossy	task	ocean	thank

123

par'ents		con trol'	
cheat	only	ours	ticket
never	safely	twelfth	spelling

124

cot'tage		for give'	
wild	long	stairs	search
perch	lost	steep	whistle

125

ech'o		greed'y	
slide	form	alley	else
distance	shadow	often	each

Supplementary Ex. 25: Dictation

Each little flower that opens,
Each little bird that sings —
He made their glowing colors,
He made their tiny wings. — MRS. ALEXANDER.

126

mis take′		naugh′ty	
dodge	bury	double	center
cottage	parents	forgive	control

127

heav′y		co′zy	
gown	neck	post	haste
fancy	ribbon	side	further

128

per′fect		nick′el	
glide	smart	ship	rung
north	cunning	behave	crafty

129

meant		fought	
loan	blind	frail	limb
cloak	stare	beggar	tramp

130

shak′en		spar′row	
tablet	bone	rake	pass
rubber	candy	hook	passed

Supplementary Ex. 26: Homonyms

bury, berry	one, won	blue, blew	by, buy
right, write	made, maid	rode, road	beech, beach

Use all these words in sentences; for example: Where did they *bury* him? This *berry* is *blue*.

131

swal'low		sneeze	
echo	heavy	greedy	cozy
mistake	perfect	naughty	invite

132

board		cur'tain	
drab	mine	main	scum
fought	middle	branch	scrap

133

point		be cause'	
nickel	woke	shock	visit
meant	awake	shove	cheer

134

which		chap'ter	
aside	growl	crank	outside
person	prowl	skate	sprinkle

135

Wednes'day		Sat'ur day	
spare	wagon	ride	sign
moment	manger	slept	rest

Supplementary Ex. 27 : ä **as in** äh, cär. **Italian a**

ärm	därk	cärd	cälf
för	bärk	härd	shärp'en

Find words on pages 46 to 49 in which ä occurs.

136

di vide′ el′bow

shaken	because	tail	lace
swallow	board	sparrow	curtain

137

lil′y fret′ful

sneeze	wheel	pork	shop
chapter	yonder	brute	wooden

138

knot maid′en

dash	were	down	seven
cure	brick	wished	eleven

139

loose o bey′

lake	late	torn	claim
drown	opening	skirt	renew

140

nine′teen par′rot

rare	point	Saturday	return
sofa	under	Wednesday	wanted

Supplementary Ex. 28: å **as in** tåsk. **Medial** a

båth	cåst	åsk	bås′ket
nås′ty	låst	glåss	dånc′er

Find words on pages 46 to 49 in which å occurs.

141

re cite′ screen

divide	knot	lily	fretful
which	elbow	clay	maiden

142

ze′ro whis′per

force	loose	graze	gaze
tame	stand	unkind	awful

143

yarn won′der

eaten	roast	obey	turn
sauce	crumbles	grew	dare

144

fair′y bun′dle

chair	drop	fact	porch
forgot	plate	thing	swept

145

don't can't

snare	sore	cannot	treat
screen	spray	clear	spend

Supplementary Ex. 29: ô **as in** lôrd; ŏ **as in** lŏss. **Broad** o **and Medial** o

fôr	côrd	tŏssed	dŏg
nôr	brôad	lŏng′er	sŏft′ly

Find words on pages 46 to 49 in which ŏ occurs.

146

hon′ey		i′ron	
yarn	zero	known	recite
nineteen	parrot	whisper	wonder

147

mon′key		edge	
gray	table	tooth	king
nurse	couch	sharp	power

148

out′ward		po′em	
charm	whip	camel	serve
plump	strung	bundle	looked

149

pre fer′		re ward′	
read	seen	show	toes
speak	seemed	shawl	cricket

150

scat′ter		thought	
worm	strain	lion	your
smash	teacher	upon	rose

Supplementary Ex. 30: Dictation

Isn't it, my boy or girl,
  The wisest, bravest plan,
Whatever comes or doesn't come,
  To do the best you can? — PHŒBE CARY.

151

where		truth	
seed	monkey	iron	poem
honey	outward	fairy	edge

152

view		worth	
grade	stayed	begun	prize
prefer	careful	stopped	reward

153

watch		breast	
pint	can't	don't	hump
platter	won't	doesn't	wide

154

thief		length	
wave	pity	snow	thrush
fort	sorry	blood	thrash

155

a gainst'		wrong	
trip	along	given	handle
strip	belong	fable	broken

156

young		peo'ple	
where	view	truth	worth
scatter	watch	thought	breast

157

move		chick'en	
length	sister	woman	vast
pointer	brother	mamma	past

158

be side'		Feb'ru a ry	
twist	thief	month	March
rolled	warn	January	April

159

dai'ly		choice	
May	July	September	November
June	August	October	December

Abbreviations: Jan. Feb. Mar. Apr. Aug. Sept. Oct. Nov. Dec.

160

FOURTH SPELLING CONTEST

dodge	double	bury	center
parents	control	cottage	forgive
echo	greedy	mistake	naughty
heavy	cozy	perfect	nickel
meant	fought	shaken	sparrow
swallow	sneeze	board	curtain
point	because	which	chapter
Wednesday	Saturday	divide	elbow
lily	fretful	knot	maiden
loose	obey	nineteen	parrot

recite	screen	zero	whisper
yarn	wonder	fairy	bundle
don't	can't	honey	iron
monkey	edge	outward	poem
prefer	reward	scatter	thought
where	truth	view	worth
watch	breast	thief	length
against	wrong	young	people
move	chicken	beside	February

daily choice

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

ANNUAL SPELLING CONTEST

ạ frā*i*d′	bā′*e*on	bō*a*rd	brô*ugh*t
ạ gain′ [1]	bạ nä′nạ	bou*gh*ṣ	bŭck′ĕt
ạ gainst′ [2]	bāth′ĭng	bô*ugh*t	b*u*ĭlt
ăl′*le*y̆	bē eauṣ*e*′	brā*i*d	bŭn′dl*e*
ạl′wā*y*ṣ	been [4]	brĕ*a*d	bur′y̆ [5]
ạ mȯng′	bē gĭn′*n*ĭng	bre*a*k	bụsh′ĕṣ
ăn′ĭ mal	bē sīd*e*′	brĕ*a*k′fạst	bus′y̆ [6]
an′y̆ [3]	bē tween′	brĕ*a*st	b*u*ȳ
ā′prȯn	bĭt′*te*n	brĭdg*e*	eän't
ä*u*nt	blụ*e*	brô*a*d	eăr′*r*ĭ*e*d

[1] ạ gĕn′. [2] ạ gĕnst′. [3] ĕn′y̆. [4] bĭn. [5] bĕr′y̆. [6] bĭz′y̆.

eätch	eō'zȳ	ē noŭgh'	ḡŏŏd-bȳ'
eau*gh*t	erŏŏk'ĕd	ĕv'ẽr ȳ	ḡreāt
çĕl'*l*ăr	erŭm*b*ṣ	ĕx eūs*e*'[2]	ḡreed'ȳ
çĕn'tẽr	eûr't*a*ĭn	ĕx plā*i*n'	hä*l*f
çĕn'tral	eụsh'*i*ȯn	fâ*i*r	hănd'fụl
chăp'tẽr	dā*i*'lȳ	fâ*i*r'ȳ	hätch'ĕt
chās*e*	dăn'dē lī ȯn	făm'ĭ lȳ	hăv'ĭng
chĭck'ĕn	dē*a*r	Fĕb'rụ ā rȳ	hĕ*a*d
ch*i*ēf	dĭ vīd*e*'	f*i*ēld	hē*a*r
chĭl'dren	dŏe'tŏr	fĭḡ'ūr*e*	hẽ*a*rd
chĭm'n*e*ȳ	dŏdġ*e*	flō*o*r	hĕ*a*v'ȳ
choiç*e*	dȯ*e*ṣ	flour	hēr*e*
çĭt'ĭ*e*ṣ	dȯn*e*	flow'ẽr	hȯn'*e*ȳ
elōṣ*e*[1]	dōn't	fŏr'ĕst	*h*our
eō*a*ch	d*o*ŭ'bl*e*	fŏr ḡĭv*e*'	hŭn'dred
eō*a*x	ẽ*a*r'lȳ	fŏr ḡŏt'*te*n	hŭn'ḡrȳ
eȯl'ŏr	ē*a*ṣ'ȳ	fôr'tȳ	ī'ron[3]
eȯm'ĭng	ĕ*eh*'ō	fô*ugh*t	jŭst
eȯm'pȧ nȳ	ĕdġ*e*	frĕt'fụl	kẽr'nel
eon trōl'	e*igh*t	fr*i*ĕnd	kĭtch'ĕn
eŏt'*t*ăġ*e*	ĕl'bō*w*	frụ*i*t	*k*nē*a*d
eọ*ul*d	ĕl'ē phant	ḡōld'*e*n	*k*nĕlt
e*o*ŭn'trȳ	ĕmp'tȳ	ḡŏn*e*	*k*new

[1] verb; adjective is elōs*e*. [2] noun; verb is ĕx eūṣ*e*'. [3] I'urn.

*k*nīve̱s	moist	ŏf'*f*ĭçe	point
*k*nŏb	mȯn'*e*y̆	ŏf'*te*n	pȱ līte'
*k*nŏt	mȯn̲'ke*y*̆	ŏl'ĭve	pō*ur*
*k*nō*w*	mo̱ve	ȯnçe[3]	prē fēr'
lā'dĭe̱s	mŭch	ȯn'iȯn	pret'*t*y̆[5]
lā*i*d	mŭf'*f*ĭn	ŏr'ange[4]	prŏm'ĭse
lăn'tērn	mûr'mur	ô*ugh*t	prŏmpt
läugh	mū's̱ĭe	out'wärd	quar̤'tēr
lē*a*ve̱s	năp'kĭn	păd'*d*le	quī'ĕt
lĕngth	nau*gh*'tȳ	păd'lŏck	quīte
lĭl'y̆	ne̱*igh*'bōr	păn'try̆	rĕad'y̆
lĭs'*te*n	nē*i*'thēr	pâr'ents	rē̇ çīte'
lōne'sȯme	nĭck'el	păr'*r*ȯt	rē̇ v*ie*w'
lōōse	nī*gh*t	pĕn'çĭl	rē̇ wa̱rd'
lo̱se	nīne'teen	pē*o*'ple	rĭnse
lounġe	nīne'tȳ	pēr'fĕct	ro*u*gh
mā*i*d'en	nīnth	pĭe'nĭe	rŭn'*n*ĭng
mā*i*l	noise	pĭe'tu̇̄re	said[6]
māk'ĭng	nō'tĭçe	p*ie*çe	Săt'ur dā*y*
man'y̆[1]	ō*a*t'mē*a*l	pĭtch'ēr	sau'çēr
mĕ*a*nt	ō̇ be̱*y*'	plĕ*a*s̱'ant	sau'çy̆
mĭn'ute[2]	ō'cean	plē*a*se	says[7]
mĭs tāke'	ō̇'elŏck'	pō'ĕm	seăt'*t*ēr

[1] mĕn'y̆. [2] mĭn'ĭt. [3] wŭnçe. [4] ŏr'ĕnj. [5] prĭt'y̆. [6] sĕd. [7] sĕz.

se*h*ōōl	sur prīṣ*e*′	twĕlfth	whē*a*t
seôrch	swạl′*lō*w	twĕn′tȳ-ȯne′ [3]	whêr*e*
serăt̆ch	sweet	t*w*ọ	whĭch
screen	te*a*r	ŭg̃′lȳ	whīl*e*
sē*a*rch	thê*i*r	ŭm brĕl′*l*ạ̊	whĭs′pẽr
seemṣ	thêr*e*	ŭn̲′el*e*	whĭs′*tl*e
shāk′*e*n	the̲*y*	ŭp stâ*i*rṣ′	*w*hōl*e*
shâr*e*	th*i*ēf	ūṣ*e*d	*w*họṣ*e*
shĕlve̲ṣ	thĭm′bl*e*	ūs*e*′fụl	wom′ĕn [4]
shīn′ĭng	thĭr′teen	văl′*le*ȳ	wȯn′dẽr
shọ*e*ṣ	thô*ugh*t	ve̲*i*l	wŏȯl′ĕn
sneez*e*	thou′ṣand	vĕl′vĕt	wõrs*e*
sō*a*p	threw [2]	vĕr′ȳ	wõrth
sȯm*e*	thro*ugh*	v*i*ew	wọ*ul*d
spăr′*r*ō*w*	tĭck′ĕt	vĭl′*l*ăġ*e*	*w*rīt*e*
squĭr′*r*ĕl	tīr*e*d	voiç*e*	*w*rīt′ĭng
st*e*āk	tọ-nī*gh*t′	wā*i*st	*w*rŏng
stĭtch	tōō	wạtch	*w*rōt*e*
stŏp′*p*ĭng	t*o*ŭch	w*e*âr	yärn
strā*igh*t	trī*e*d	Wĕ*d*n*e*ṣ′dăȳ	yĕs′tẽr dăȳ
stŭd′ȳ	trụth	week	y*o*ŭng
sụg̃′ăr [1]	Tū*e*ṣ′dăȳ	we̲*igh*	zē′rō

NOTE. — Review in oral contest also other words which have been misspelled during the year.

[1] shŏŏg̃′ẽr. [2] thrōō. [3] -wŭn. [4] wĭm′ĕn.

SECTION II

1

ac'ci dent		band'age	
voice	crush	glare	bald
called	unwind	stage	comb

The *accident* to the train was caused by a broken rail. Put a new *bandage* on his right arm.

2

arc'tic		beau'ty	
oven	toast	oval	cream
cherry	lunch	bowl	mouthful

3

bis'cuit		ca na'ry	
drift	beside	dawn	toad
stream	danger	evening	color

4

di vi'sion		ac cuse'	
reply	news	apart	greet
write	direct	different	friend

5

poul'try		health'y	
rally	urge	glove	fair
pitcher	baseball	curve	umpire

6[1]

ma chine′		jour′ney	
biscuit	river	beauty	canary
accident	arctic	division	bandage

7

po ta′toes		wal′nut	
accuse	potato	amuse	field
birthday	poultry	healthy	barrel

8

lem on ade′		niece	
geese	arrest	steal	purse
market	driven	chance	stolen

9

or′chard		pack′age	
jelly	carve	rye	soup
plenty	sugar	oats	bread

10

ques′tion		rea′son	
gain	huge	these	said
bought	trace	rather	golden

Supplementary Ex. 1: ā **as in** pāy; e̱ **as in** pre̱y. **Long** a

Jāmes	fā′tal	obe̱y′	ske̱in
āge	lā′bel	ve̱il′ing	ne̱ighbor

Find words on pages 85 to 88 in which ā occurs.

[1] Lessons numbered in this manner are to be given Mondays.

11

sub tract′		tim′id	
kettle	niece	walnut	does
orchard	package	potatoes	journey

12

un rav′el		wrin′kle	
travel	train	point	leaves
bushes	swift	against	happiness

13

a loud′		bash′ful	
world	state	sport	duty
share	many	Christmas	machine

14

ci′pher		cray′on	
copy	plan	slope	says
iceberg	sight	range	lemonade

15

dec′i mal		ex act′	
pray	jeer	stylish	shun
preach	dunce	Tuesday	disobey

Supplementary Ex. 2: ē **as in** mē; ee **as in** feet; ī **as in** polīce. **Long** e

hēre	rē′al	tree	ra vīne′
dē′cent	dē′i ty	street	ma chīne′

Find words on pages 85 to 88 in which ē occurs.

16

au'tumn		weath'er	
bashful	unravel	aloud	timid
question	subtract	reason	wrinkle

17

dead		deaf	
turf	word	rash	omit
pretty	false	threat	cipher

18

taught		lov'a ble	
kneel	Bible	blizzard	fasten
climb	honest	harvest	crayon

19

may'or		neph'ew	
closet	tiny	fern	type
bedroom	moth	wove	firm

20

e rect'		de scribe'	
gnat	hear	either	eddy
head	fowl	neither	bridge

Supplementary Ex. 3: Dictation

1. There is no such thing as bad weather, only different kinds of good weather. —Ruskin.

2. He that is slow to anger is better than the mighty; and he that ruleth his spirit than he that taketh a city.
—Proverbs.

21

ex cite′		fringe	
autumn	hail	exact	deaf
decimal	lovable	mayor	dead

22

cough		hy′phen	
beak	brow	hour	weather
unhook	clasp	taught	Saturday

23

breath		breathe	
choke	cramp	such	tried
throat	scratch	much	nephew

24

grease		mul′ti ply	
glow	blush	pour	largest
rage	cheeks	streak	bathroom

25

nick′name		oys′ter	
sheaf	scent	excuse	used
jumped	shrub	astride	divide

Please notice the *scent* of this *shrub*.

Supplementary Ex. 4: ī **as in** īce ; ȳ **as in** mȳ. **Long i**

Ī′da	rīde	tī′ny	stȳle
fīle	dīn′er	tȳ′ing	re plȳ′

Find words on pages 85 to 88 in which ī occurs.

26

pump'kin		re'gion	
breath	excite	breathe	gosling
cough	fringe	describe	hyphen

27

sep'a rate		toi'let	
grease	verb	inside	scald
hardware	erect	inward	underneath

28

sure		vi'o let	
arise	chaff	crazy	worry
roost	wheat	insane	multiply

29

wait'er		yield	
frock	dial	isle	where
thorn	arrow	valley	corner

30

at tack'		buck'le	
heal	jerked	fight	ugly
wound	careless	stray	beast

His *wounds* will soon *heal.*

Supplementary Ex. 5: ō **as in** hō. **Long** o

ōld	rōpe	grō'cer	scōre
a gō'	mō'ment	shōul'der	Jō'seph

Find words on pages 85 to 88 in which ō occurs.

31

daugh'ter		dain'ty	
violet	separate	sure	toilet
oyster	pumpkin	nickname	region

32

en'gine		fif'ti eth	
stack	yield	limit	petty
upper	search	pulse	waiter

33

gold'en rod		hus'band	
sixth	dozen	tiger	ought
seventh	counted	bounce	brought

34

sword		jew'el	
allow	mock	size	vice
might	stroke	changed	rapid

Kind words are better than *jewels*.

35

ken'nel		cow'ard	
died	great	himself	waist
grief	dreadful	bedside	restore

Supplementary Ex. 6: ū **as in** ūse; ew **as in** new. **Long** u

tūne	dū'ty	stew	knew
Ū'tah	mū'sic	view	New'ton

Find words on pages 85 to 88 in which ū occurs.

36

mer′chant		is′land	
attack	engine	daughter	dainty
husband	buckle	goldenrod	fiftieth

37

o blige′		nee′dle	
refer	stool	mope	floor
ready	doorstep	bringing	flung

38

prai′rie		quar′rel	
proud	stout	shaft	jewel
ladies	spear	subway	sword

39

wheth′er		clothes	
gulf	yoke	wrung	shoes
covering	press	clothing	bathe

Supplementary Ex. 7: Dictation

This above all: to thine own self be true,
And it must follow, as the night the day,
Thou canst not then be false to any man.

—SHAKESPEARE.

Supplementary Ex. 8: is′land riv′er

prairie	strait	axis	torrid
isthmus	channel	creek	degree

40

FIRST SPELLING CONTEST

accident	bandage	arctic	beauty
biscuit	canary	division	accuse
poultry	healthy	machine	journey
potatoes	walnut	lemonade	niece
orchard	package	question	reason
subtract	timid	unravel	wrinkle
aloud	bashful	cipher	crayon
decimal	exact	autumn	weather
dead	deaf	taught	lovable
mayor	nephew	erect	describe
excite	fringe	cough	hyphen
breath	breathe	grease	multiply
nickname	oyster	pumpkin	region
separate	toilet	sure	violet
waiter	yield	attack	buckle
daughter	dainty	engine	fiftieth
goldenrod	husband	sword	jewel
kennel	coward	merchant	island
oblige	needle	prairie	quarrel

whether clothes

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

41

coarse		blan'ket	
width	coast	bleat	worse
kennel	island	bleak	muzzle

42

a piece'		bos'om	
laugh	rate	strive	coax
drone	agent	stripe	coward

43

au'thor		co'coa	
steel	coil	thrill	catch
needle	broil	whether	oblige

44

choir		de'pot	
tour	guest	prairie	strict
strange	guide	quarrel	guard

45

moun'tain		er'rand	
text	merchant	cellar	throng
yourself	February	central	clothes

Supplementary Ex. 9: o͡o as in fo͡ot; ọ as in wọlf; ụ as in pụt. **Short** oo

sho͡ok	mis to͡ok'	wọm'an	pụsh
wo͡od'en	bare'fo͡ot	wọlf'ish	bụsh

Find words on pages 85 to 88 in which o͡o occurs.

46

car′rot fail

coarse	bosom	author	choir
blanket	apiece	coming	depot

47

gal′lop heav′en

stale	doctor	raven	pain
banana	route	buzzard	vain

By what *route* did the doctor go? I weep the more because I weep in *vain.*

48

grieve i′vo ry

bacon	spice	cocoa	move
rind	dessert	breakfast	dwell

49

I tal′ian lo′cate

faint	bury	bloom	skull
health	scene	blight	breast

50

mead′ow oc′cu py

lawn	clash	squaw	busy
romp	print	children	brisk

Supplementary Ex. 10: lan′guage terms

comma	vowel	modifies	command
singular	consonant	question	statement

51

bade par'lor

gallop	heaven	fail	zinc
errand	mountain	carrot	grieve

52

tru'ly poi'son

real	caught	debt	dealt
ivory	firing	flesh	space

53

bal'ance quail

dear	beginning	week	mind
scold	grandfather	stroll	stern

54

res'cue sat'is fy

oral	holy	babies	slung
speech	chime	Italian	crumbs

55

sev'er al tease

calm	dumb	heard	locate
can't	animal	wolves	dandelion

Supplementary Ex. 11: ōō **as in** bōōt, ọ **as in** dọ; ụ **as in** rụde. **Long** oo.

scōōp	brōōd	tọmb	grụ'el
bōōm'ing	bōō'by	wọ*u*nd'ed	brụ'tal

Find words on pages 85 to 88 in which ōō occurs.

56

sketch		to geth′er	
parlor	quail	meadow	truly
occupy	musket	balance	poison

57

solve		sol′dier	
any	eight	speed	lily
again	knives	rescue	buy

58

sta′tion		ush′er	
trust	judge	bade	silly
fault	prove	satisfy	shone

59

wel′come		choose	
pearl	dressed	bride	railroad
value	appear	young	steamer

60

ac′tion		an noy′	
froze	close	screen	loom
prose	clothe	reel	carpet

Supplementary Ex. 12: Homonyms

sun, son	dear, deer	bin, been	heel, heal
shone, shown	past, passed	steal, steel	root, route

Use all these words in sentences; for example: The *sun shone.* The *deer* ran *past* our house.

61

an′kle hor′ri ble

sketch	solve	tease	cities
several	usher	frown	together

62

awk′ward chest′nut

brain	boast	musty	blue
poetry	baste	during	badge

63

con′quer cof′fee

pitch	flown	grown	freeze
patch	blown	station	bathing

The vine had *grown* twelve feet higher.

64

brace′let pair

ward	bulk	choose	folly
plank	brand	chose	soldier

65

butch′er crim′son

peace	host	glory	board
welcome	grandmother	missed	slippery

Supplementary Ex. 13: la′bor er prod′ucts

cotton	millet	cheese	tobacco
buckwheat	pumpkins	timothy	oranges

Pupils may name other products that they know.

66

cra′dle		dis cov′er	
action	annoy	ankle	paste
awkward	bitten	chestnut	horrible

67

er′ror		fin′ish	
parch	spark	built	blunt
thirsty	conquer	smooth	meant

68

gal′lon		be neath′	
waste	grip	oblong	nickel
coffee	stretch	drawer	bracelet

69

gi′ant		in crease′	
palm	pair	braid	grasp
thumb	mitten	twine	squeeze

70

eighth		lin′en	
idea	beard	grind	sigh
vote	sprout	sprain	wrong

Supplementary Ex. 14: Dictation

Have good will
To all that lives, letting unkindness die
And greed and wrath, so that your lives be made
Like soft airs passing by. — EDWIN ARNOLD.

71

man′sion na′ture

huddle	finish	gallon	error
butcher	discover	crimson	cradle

72

mel′on of fend′

minus	bail	bulge	lath
ounce	bucket	boughs	scarce

He tied a long rope to the *bail* of the *bucket*.

73

or′gan par′don

mourn	mold	raft	crooked
mound	candle	bundle	chimney

74

co′co nut sir′up

lose	joint	gear	sneer
ease	giant	dreary	slight

75

post′age re main′

beneath	hitch	daily	scarf
between	unbind	increase	script

Supplementary Ex. 15: mer′chant shelves

ginger	pecans	melons	cocoa
nutmegs	mustard	walnuts	catchup

Pupils may name other articles that they know.

76

re ject' tow'el

eighth	melon	linen	offend
pardon	coconut	nature	mansion

77

al'most twi'light

tear	groan	beside	alley
wear	grave	organ	crowded

The soldier bore the pain without a *groan.*

78

jan'i tor al read'y

afraid	motion	whose	lurk
because	scrape	soap	hiding

79

sphere war'ble

lodge	aunt	cover	dose
dodge	cousin	covered	sirup

Supplementary Ex. 16: do mes'tic con ver sa'tion

pillow	screen	suit	scuttle
wringer	mattress	dresser	pail

Pupils may name other articles used in the home.

Supplementary Ex. 17: Dictation

Bear through sorrow, wrong, and ruth,
In thy heart the dew of youth,
On thy lips the smile of truth. — LONGFELLOW.

80

SECOND SPELLING CONTEST

coarse	blanket	apiece	bosom
author	cocoa	choir	depot
mountain	errand	carrot	fail
gallop	heaven	grieve	ivory
Italian	locate	meadow	occupy
bade	parlor	truly	poison
balance	quail	rescue	satisfy
several	tease	sketch	together
solve	soldier	station	usher
welcome	choose	action	annoy
ankle	horrible	awkward	chestnut
conquer	coffee	bracelet	pair
butcher	crimson	cradle	discover
error	finish	gallon	beneath
giant	increase	eighth	linen
mansion	nature	melon	offend
organ	pardon	coconut	sirup
postage	remain	reject	towel
almost	twilight	janitor	already

sphere warble

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

81

ge ra'ni um		an'swer	
center	remain	forgive	iron
border	postage	wonder	wrought

82

an oth'er		bor'row	
stingy	towel	marsh	soil
clumsy	reject	swamp	shallow

83

ap point'		re plied'	
almost	spout	worth	success
twilight	channel	remedy	powerful

84

twen'ti eth		cab'bage	
double	already	having	fairy
slumber	done	smiling	janitor

85

though		trou'ble	
freight	cannon	pistol	sphere
express	carried	fought	warble

Supplementary Ex. 18: Homonyms

waist, waste	pail, pale	pear, pair, pare
piece, peace	groan, grown	cent, sent, scent

Use all these words in sentences; for example: *Waste* not, want not. Let us buy a *pear* for four *cents*. Please *pare* it. I *sent* her for a *pair* of shoes.

86

a void′		bar′ley	
cabbage	borrow	anvil	appoint
geranium	answer	another	twentieth

87

rai′sin		at tempt′	
stanza	frisky	captain	sailor
chap	lightning	tempest	honey.

88

brief		ac′cent	
view	improve	whole	barren
avenue	promote	lemon	fruitful

89

read		ad vice′	
tribes	family	village	manly
company	families	replied	bravely

I have *read* four books this week.

90

bur′glar		ad vance′	
been	whine	grit	patter
primary	childish	trouble	matter

Supplementary Ex. 19: Dictation

If you would know the value of money, go and try to borrow some.

If man could have half his wishes, he would double his trouble. — FRANKLIN.

91

cack'le		a mount'	
though	barley	weak	which
although	brief	attempt	accent

92

al'ter		bush'el	
aster	pansy	flea	whistle
cone	flower	bristle	whistling

93

ca nal'		an'gel	
raisin	fleece	read	peak
chicken	ostrich	alarm	knoll

94

can'cel		de feat'	
disk	writing	heap	ails
garden	written	advice	always

95

ad mire'		de light'	
haze	cozy	wavy	pawn
chief	cushion	avoid	yawn

Supplementary Ex. 20: Homonyms

led, lead	flea, flee	not, knot	tail, tale
red, read	way, weigh	four, fore	week, weak

Use all these words in sentences; for example: I *led* the horse. His legs seem *weak*. This pipe is made of *lead*.

96

ca ress′		dis pute′	
alter	cackle	canal	burglar
amount	bushel	angel	advance

97

car′ol		ea′ger	
crate	yesterday	unit	limber
crape	commence	cancel	enough

98

char′i ty		ex pect′	
defeat	wrist	nostril	flute
intend	elbow	eyebrow	private

99

plumb′er		fe′male	
prey	escape	flying	skiff
vulture	thieves	rocket	know

Cats *prey* upon birds. Their *prey* cannot *escape*.

100

cel′er y		un til′	
lobster	thicket	hawk	zebra
canned	oriole	bluejay	elephant

Supplementary Ex. 21: Abbreviations

Mr. (Mister)	Rev. (Reverend)	St. (Street)
Mrs. (Mistress)	P. O. (Post Office)	Ave. (Avenue)
Dr. (Doctor)	R. F. D. (Rural Free Delivery)	

Note the periods. Write Miss without a period.

101

cin′der		ker′o sene	
delight	eager	carol	expect
dispute	admire	caress	charity

102

ca noe′		a′cre	
plush	female	forty	scale
surprise	plumber	figure	fifteenth

103

cir′cus		trough	
seal	scrub	uncle	coach
riches	deserve	watch	ramble

104

be lieve′		guess	
fruit	custard	flour	sandwich
celery	nutmeg	lettuce	chowder

105

col′lar		hab′it	
clinch	until	pole	blotter
hatchet	gnaw	drawn	eraser

Supplementary Ex. 22: Word Study; ar the Base

cär	căr′ry	ăr′row	căr′ol
bär	băr′rel	băr′ren	măr′row
tär	măr′ry	măr′ried	năr′row

Pronounce distinctly. Add other words based on *ar*.

106

co′lon ho tel′

rise	acre	canoe	cinder
flutter	circus	trough	kerosene

107

com plain′ strength

cottage	forest	level	some
sweeping	lonely	country	moisture

108

cor rect′ in′stant

forgotten	fretful	happen	shirk
to-morrow	cheerful	mutter	shave

109

con′cert In′di an

compare	greedy	chops	veal
believe	hungry	choice	mutton

110

de cide′ glis′ten

guess	veil	sift	French
guessed	velvet	easily	control

Supplementary Ex. 23: Word Study; err the Base

ẽrr	fĕr′ry	bĕr′ry	ĕr′ror
tĕr′ror	Pĕr′ry	mĕr′ry	ĕr′rand

Teachers and pupils may add to this list. Pronounce distinctly. Select another base and build with it.

111

de stroy′		car toon′	
collar	habit	hotel	correct
complain	index	colon	instant

112

scis′sors		ce ment′	
neigh	half	halves	Indian
weigh	snore	explain	among

113

dis a gree′		in stead′	
wages	draped	herring	length
heavy	curtain	concert	strength

114

dis miss′		com′bat	
break	won't	yarn	meek
bottle	admit	woolen	droop

115

ea′gle		col lect′	
they	hundred	truth	school
adopt	thousand	betray	whisper

Suggestion: Division of words into syllables in oral spelling should usually be indicated in one of these ways: (1) By slight pauses; as, exercise, *e-x--e-r--c-i-s-e*, exercise. (2) By pronunciation of syllables; as, *e-x*-ex-*e-r*-er-*c-i-s-e*-cise, exercise. (3) By repronunciation of syllables; as, *e-x*-ex-*e-r*-er-exer-*c-i-s-e*-cise, exercise.

116

en'e my com mand'

instead	decide	cement	destroy
glisten	disagree	cartoon	scissors

117

ex'er cise cir'cle

foam	zero	thrust	every
vanish	frozen	napkin	thought

118

fe'ver cred'it

gilt	empty	sudden	cruel
rusty	rough	dismiss	comment

119

fierce in'sect

crash	chase	good-by	combat
gayly	strait	happiest	master

Supplementary Ex. 24: Dictation

A gift in need, though small indeed,
Is large as earth and rich as heaven. — WHITTIER.

Supplementary Ex. 25: Recognizing ū in common words

tūbe	sūit	cūre	pūre
cūbe	dū'ty	fū'ry	dūke
tū'lip	av'e nūe	stū'pid	sub dūe'

120

THIRD SPELLING CONTEST

geranium	answer	another	borrow
appoint	replied	twentieth	cabbage
though	trouble	avoid	barley
raisin	attempt	brief	accent
read	advice	burglar	advance
cackle	amount	alter	bushel
canal	angel	cancel	defeat
admire	delight	caress	dispute
carol	eager	charity	expect
plumber	female	celery	until
cinder	kerosene	canoe	acre
circus	trough	believe	guess
collar	habit	colon	hotel
complain	strength	correct	instant
concert	Indian	decide	glisten
destroy	cartoon	scissors	cement
disagree	instead	dismiss	collect
eagle	combat	enemy	command
exercise	circle	fever	credit
	fierce	insect	

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

121

his'to ry		live'ly	
lead	review	eagle	ahead
handful	remove	soar	straight

122

cer'tain		mag'ic	
touch	foe	seems	polar
sneeze	command	mellow	night

123

ex'cel lent		mar'gin	
circle	exercise	recite	roof
Thanksgiving	schoolmate	notice	silo

124

la'bor		folks	
insect	favor	collect	too
nineteen	murmur	mail	fierce

125

numb		na'vy	
fever	credit	sweet	knew
enemy	sales	oatmeal	conclude

Supplementary Ex. 26: Homonyms

fourth, forth	moan, mown	sore, soar	sail, sale
heard, herd	strait, straight	some, sum	mail, male

Use all these words in sentences; for example: He took one *fourth* of the *herd*. I shall buy the candy, nuts, and so *forth*. I *heard* him *moan*.

126

man'age no'tion

history	magic	wait	lively
excellent	certain	delay	margin

127

mer'it ob tain'

ninety	eleventh	twenty-one	ninth
thirteenth	ninetieth	everything	twelfth

128

mod'el pa rade'

please	confuse	don't	moist
mention	mistake	cigar	umbrella

129

mo lest' part'ner

garret	refuse	knelt	knot
upstairs	shatter	prevent	knob

130

met'al per'ish

their	priest	laid	labor
neighbor	folks	replace	noble

Supplementary Ex. 27: Dictation

Work for some good, be it ever so slowly;
Work for some hope, be it ever so lowly;
Work! for all labor is noble and holy.

—NEWMAN HALL.

131

nerve		mum'ble	
model	navy	merit	notion
marble	obtain	manage	parade

132

noz'zle		per mit'	
smear	saucer	knead	dining
muffin	shelves	kitchen	steak

133

oc cur'		prac'tice	
to-night	numb	ocean	arrive
Wednesday	while	o'clock	reside

134

none		pub'lish	
curb	turkey	two	consult
jingle	running	overshoes	partner

135

pal'ace		sea'son	
rinse	mason	here	evil
scatter	plaster	early	repeat

Supplementary Ex. 28: Dictation

Speak no evil of the absent, for it is unjust.

— WASHINGTON.

Be at war with your vices, at peace with your neighbors, and let every year find you a better man. — FRANKLIN.

136

raise — re sist′

metal	perish	nozzle	nerve
practice	permit	mumble	occur

137

pi an′o — Sab′bath

brittle	just	primer	kernel
pavement	echo	publish	plucked

138

pledge — im por′tant

litter	noise	quite	quiet
shaken	molest	shudder	lonesome

139

po lice′ — se′cret

ticket	none	result	desire
present	except	shelter	demand

140

pre pare′ — sen′tence

through	sort	olive	pantry
knothole	onion	supply	contain

Supplementary Ex. 29: col′ors rain′bow

azure	maroon	violet	crimson
ocher	vermilion	indigo	lavender

Pupils may name other colors that they know.

141

pris'on		shiv'er	
palace	piano	resist	persist
mirror	Sabbath	important	pledge

142

psalm		si'lent	
secret	parrot	martin	sparrow
instruct	monkey	swallow	squirrel

143

sau'sage		sol'id	
peddle	police	raise	bleach
meddle	reward	smother	season

144

quench		pun'ish	
polite	maiden	study	listen
powder	women	music	listened

145

re spect'		pur'ple	
picnic	party	jolly	dimple
chosen	pleasant	manners	laughter

Supplementary Ex. 30 : Dictation

1. Summer, autumn, winter, spring,
   Back and forth the seasons swing.
   —Lloyd Roberts.

2. Whatever you do, do with your might;
   Things done by halves are never done right.

146

cause		tem'ple	
become	silent	psalm	solid
prepare	sentence	prison	shiver

147

scar'let		trem'ble	
thief	unlock	unpack	saucy
gone	padlock	sausage	naughty

148

sad'dle		up'roar	
parcel	prefix	there	tired
pencil	prefer	sixtieth	stopping

149

serv'ant		un tied'	
lantern	shining	threw	stitch
headway	studying	apron	thimble

150

shov'el		un rul'y	
Arab	punish	sixteenth	orange
wrote	quench	seventieth	gentleman

Supplementary Ex. 31: Dictation

And the night shall be filled with music,
And the cares that infest the day
Shall fold their tents like the Arabs,
And as silently steal away. — LONGFELLOW.

151

scuf'fle		thun'der	
scarlet	purple	earliest	saddle
respect	tremble	temple	uproar

152

sig'nal		wel'fare	
could	cause	untied	scorch
would	making	servant	beefsteak

153

trol'ley		spar'kle	
once	often	tangle	easy
maybe	alive	riddles	pillow

154

sup'per		sweat'er	
select	relic	obey	paddle
sample	picture	parents	member

155

trump'et		stag'ger	
hero	poem	lain	trick
people	useful	retain	broad

156

tri'al		sponge	
shovel	unruly	signal	tally
sparkle	welfare	scuffle	thunder

157

un fair′		hand′some	
invest	office	quarter	loose
plunge	money	pretend	suffer

158

vi′al		learned	
edge	piece	trolley	very
infant	perfect	promise	prompt

159

wid′ow		host′ess	
minute	unfold	retire	lounge
thirtieth	outward	supper	sweater

160

FOURTH SPELLING CONTEST

history	lively	certain	magic
excellent	margin	labor	folks
numb	navy	manage	notion
merit	obtain	model	parade
molest	partner	metal	perish
nerve	mumble	nozzle	permit
occur	practice	none	publish
palace	season	raise	resist
piano	Sabbath	pledge	important
police	secret	prepare	sentence

prison	shiver	psalm	silent
sausage	solid	quench	punish
respect	purple	cause	temple
scarlet	tremble	saddle	uproar
servant	untied	shovel	unruly
scuffle	thunder	signal	welfare
trolley	sparkle	supper	sweater
trumpet	stagger	trial	sponge
unfair	handsome	vial	learned

widow hostess

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

ANNUAL SPELLING CONTEST

ăe'çĕnt	ạl rĕ*a*d'ȳ	ăr*e*'tĭ*e*	bär'l*e*ȳ
ăe'çĭ dent	ạl'tẽr	a*t* tăck'	băsh'fụl
a*c* ẽūṣ*e*'	ậ mount'	a*t* tĕmpt'	b*ea*ū'tȳ
ā'cre[1]	ān'ġel	au'thõr	bẽ l*i*ēv*e*'
ăe'tiȯn	ăṇ'kl*e*	au'tum*n*	bẽ nē*a*th'
ăd mīr*e*'	a*n* noy'	ậ void'	bĭs'*eu*ĭt
ad vȧnç*e*'	an ȯth'ẽr	awk'wärd	blăṇ'kĕt
ăd vīç*e*'	ȧn's*w*ẽr	băd*e*	bŏr'*r*ōw
ạl'mōst	ậ p*i*ēç*e*'	băl'ançe	bọṣ'ȯm
ậ loud'	a*p* point'	băn'ăġe	brāç*e*'lĕt

[1] ā'kẽr.

brĕ*a*th	choīr[1]	ẹrā*y*′on	ĕn′ġĭn*e*
brē*a*th*e*	chōōṣ*e*	erĕd′ĭt	ē rĕet′
br*i*ēf	çĭn′dẽr	erĭm′ṣ*o*n	ĕr′*r*and
bŭck′l*e*	çī′phẽr	dā*i*n′tȳ	ĕr′*r*ŏr
bûr′ḡlẽr	çīr′el*e*	dau*gh*′tẽr	ĕx̱ ăet′
bụsh′el	çīr′eus	dĕ*a*d	ĕx′çe*l* lent
bụtch′ẽr	elōthe*s*	dĕ*a*f	ĕx çīt*e*′
eăb′*b*ȧġe	eō*a*rs*e*	dē çīd*e*′	ĕx′ĕr çīṣ*e*
eăck′l*e*	eō′eō*a*	dĕç′ĭ mal	ĕx pĕet′
eạ năl′	eō′eŏ nŭt	dē fē*a*t′	fā*i*l
eạ nā′rȳ	eŏf′*f*ee[2]	dē lī*gh*t′	fē′māl*e*
eăn′çel	eŏl′*l*ạr	dē′pō*t*	fē′vẽr
eạ nọe′	e*o*l lĕet′	dē sẹrīb*e*′	f*i*ērç*e*
eạ rĕss′	eō′lon	dē stroy′	fĭf′tĭ ĕth
eăr′ȯl	eŏm′băt	dĭs ạ ḡree′	fĭn′ĭsh
eăr′*r*ȯt	e*o*m mȧnd′	dĭs eȯv′ẽr	fō*l*ks
eär tōōn′	eom plā*i*n′	dĭs mĭss′	frĭnġ*e*
eau*s*e	eŏn′çẽrt[3]	dĭs pūt*e*′	ḡăl′*l*ȯn
çĕl′ẽr ȳ	eŏn′q*u*ẽr	dĭ vĭ′ṣiȯn	ḡăl′*l*ȯp
çē mĕnt′	e*o*r rĕet′	ē*a*′ḡẽr	ġē rā′nĭ um
çẽr′t*a*ĭn	eŏ*u*gh	ē*a*′ḡl*e*	ġī′ant
chăr′ĭ tȳ	eow′ẽrd	e*igh*th[4]	ḡlĭs′*te*n
chĕs*t*′nŭt	ẹrā′dl*e*	ĕn′ē mȳ	ḡōld′*e*n rŏd

[1] kwīr. [2] kŏf′ĭ. [3] noun; verb is eon çẽrt′. [4] ăth.

ḡrē*a*s*e*	jew'el	mŏ lĕst'	păck'ăġ*e*
ḡr*i*ē*v*e	j*o*ûr'n*e*ȳ	moun't*a*ĭn	pâ*i*r
ḡ*u*ĕss	kĕn'*n*el	mŭl'tĭ plȳ	păl'ăç*e*
hăb'ĭt	kĕr'ŏ sēn*e*	mŭm'bl*e*	pa̯ rād*e*'
hăn*d*'sȯm*e*	lā'bŏr	nā'tu̯r*e*	pär'dȯn
hĕ*a*lth'ȳ	lē*a*rn*e*d	nā'vȳ	pär'lŏr
hĕ*a*v'*e*n	lĕm ȯn ād*e*'	nee'dl*e*	pärt'nĕr
hĭs'tŏ rȳ	lĭn'ĕn	nĕph'ew	pĕr'ĭsh
hŏr'*r*ĭ bl*e*	līv*e*'lȳ	nĕrv*e*	pĕr mĭt' [1]
hōst'ĕss	lō'*e*āt*e*	nĭck'nām*e*	pĭ ăn'ō
hŏ tĕl'	lȯv'a̯ bl*e*	n*i*ēç*e*	plĕdġ*e*
hŭṣ'band	ma̯ çhĭn*e*'	nȯn*e*	plŭm*b*'ĕr
hȳ'phĕn	măġ'ĭe	nō'tiȯn	poi'ṣon
ĭm pôr'tant	măn'ăġ*e*	nŏz'*z*l*e*	pŏ lĭç*e*'
ĭn erē*a*s*e*' [1]	măn'siȯn	nŭm*b*	pōst'ăġ*e*
Ĭn'dĭ an	mär'ġĭn	ŏ blīġ*e*'	pŏ tā'tō*e*ṣ
ĭn'sĕet	mā*y*'ŏr	ob tā*i*n'	pō*u*l'trȳ
ĭn'stant	mĕ*a*d'ō*w*	ŏe'*c*ū pȳ	prăe'tĭç*e*
ĭn stĕ*a*d'	mĕl'ȯn	o*c* eûr'	prā*i*'rĭ*e*
ī*s*'land	mĕr'chant	o*f* fĕnd'	prē pâr*e*'
Ĭ tăl'ian	mĕr'ĭt	ôr'chärd	prĭṣ'*o*n
ī'vŏ rȳ	mĕt'al	ôr'ḡan	*p*sä*l*m
jăn'ĭ tŏr	mŏd'el	oys'tĕr	pŭb'lĭsh

[1] verb accented on last syllable; noun accented on first syllable.

pŭmp'kĭn	seär'lĕt	stā'tiȯn	trŭmp'ĕt
pŭn'ĭsh	scĭṣ'sŏrṣ	strĕngth	twĕn'tĭ ĕth
pûr'pl*e*	seŭf'*f*l*e*	sub trăct'	twī'lī*gh*t
quā*i*l	sē*a*'ṣon	sŭp'*p*ĕr	ŭn fâ*i*r'
quạr'*r*el	sē'erĕt	sụ*re*[4]	ŭn răv'*e*l
quĕnch	sĕn'tençe	swĕ*a*t'ĕr	ŭn rụl'ȳ
quĕs'tiȯn[1]	sĕp'ạ̊ rāt*e*	s*w*ōrd	ŭn tī*e*d'
rā*i*ṣ*e*	sĕrv'ant	tau*gh*t	ŭn tĭl'
rā*i*'ṣ*i*n	sĕv'ĕr al	tē*a*ṣ*e*	ŭp'rō*a*r
rĕ*a*d[2]	shĭv'ĕr	tĕm'pl*e*	ŭsh'ĕr
rē*a*'ṣon	shȯv'*e*l	thō*ugh*	vī'al
rē'*g*iȯn	sĭg'nal	thŭn'dĕr	vī'ȯ lĕt
rė jĕct'	sī'lent	tĭm'ĭd	wā*i*t'ĕr
rė mā*i*n'	sĭr'up	tọ gĕth'ĕr	wạl'nŭt
rė plī*e*d'	skĕtch	toi'lĕt	wạr'bl*e*
rĕs'*c*ū*e*	sōl'diĕr[3]	tow'el	wĕ*a*th'ĕr
rė ṣĭst'	sŏl'ĭd	trĕm'bl*e*	wĕl'*c*ȯm*e*
rė spĕct'	sŏlv*e*	trī'al	wĕl'fâr*e*
Săb'*b*ạth	spär'kl*e*	trŏl'*le*ȳ	whĕth'ĕr
săd'*dl*e	sphēr*e*	tro*ŭ*'bl*e*	wĭd'ō*w*
săt'ĭs fȳ	spȯnġ*e*	trŏ*u*gh	*w*rĭn'kl*e*
sau'sạ̊ġ*e*	stăg'*g*ĕr	trụ'lȳ	y*i*ēld

NOTE. — Review in oral contest also other words which have been misspelled during the year.

[1] kwĕs'chun. [2] past tense; present is rē*a*d. [3] sōl'jĕr. [4] sh*oo*r.

SECTION III

1

ab'sence		a dult'	
berth	supper	quail	moose
porter	carrot	thrive	approach

The teacher spoke of the *absence* of the pupil. Only *adult* persons may enter the opera house. I have a lower *berth* on the ten o'clock train.

2

drow'sy		mu'ci lage	
baffle	punch	flinch	chafe
fidget	thump	wince	taunt

3

in ter rupt'		jus'tice	
confess	flight	falter	shovel
convict	forbid	dread	drench

4

ath let'ic		mor'sel	
depth	vault	mingle	filter
tunnel	differ	shingle	factor

5

pos'i tive		tas'sel	
keel	adorn	fiber	fabric
ferry	crown	ivory	garter

6[1]

at trac'tive aft er noon'

absence	absent	adult	morsel
mucilage	interrupt	justice	athletic

7

pas'sen ger Ca na'di an

deaf	coughed	jury	crude
drowsy	coffin	murder	foolhardy

8

dropped ex pense'

tread	arbor	solve	angry
weight	hedge	moral	bother

9

hard'ships herbs

mince	biscuit	behold	scoop
filbert	counter	Quaker	sword

10

peach'es pick'les

portion	idiot	liar	truly
particle	detain	rascal	beware

Supplementary Ex. 1: **â as in** câre; **ê as in** thêre.
Circumflex a

wel'fâre	pâr'ent	hêir	thêir
prâyer	stâir'way	no'whêre	else'whêre

Find words on pages 125 to 128 in which **â** occurs.

[1] Lessons numbered in this manner are to be given Mondays.

11

win'dows stirred

tassel	herbs	passenger	expense
Canadian	positive	hardships	attractive

12

soot se vere'

helmet	remark	remind	timid
knight	dropped	afternoon	advice

13

per mis'sion af fair'

solo	bulb	squint	squat
duet	medal	twinkle	squeal

14

gro'cer y di'a ry

lemonade	tattle	trash	read
strawberry	prattle	horrible	burden

15

kha'ki growth

vessel	fleet	raise	coral
attempt	naval	geranium	rudder

Supplementary Ex. 2: a̤ **as in** fa̤ll; au **as in** auk; aw **as in** saw; ô **as in** ôr. **Broad** a **and broad** o

sta̤ll	au'to	awe	fôrm
wa̤r	daugh'ter	flaw	lôrd

Find words on pages 125 to 128 in which a̤ occurs.

16

ar′gue		op′er ate	
peaches	grate	grocery	affair
windows	stirred	pickles	permission

There are *grates* in the windows of a prison.

17

par′tial		dy′ing	
insult	century	million	shoe
enroll	celebration	diameter	cable

18

trav′el ing		sleigh	
diary	wrath	another	soot
slander	severe	somebody	scant

19

vol un teer′		fore′head	
janitor	healthy	replied	lofty
chapel	sensible	parson	belfry

20

com plete′		con′tra ry	
phrase	vowels	entire	overalls
adverb	accent	beauty	plumber

Supplementary Ex. 3: Dictation

A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favor than silver and gold. — PROVERBS.

21

frig'id		gar'ment	
partial	dying	khaki	argue
growth	volunteer	buckle	operate

22

fash'ion		hand'ker chief	
aloud	rumble	bevel	scandal
hustle	explosion	sleigh	ashamed

23

no'bod y		op' po site	
flatter	pulp	trough	trolley
salesman	linger	sought	traveling

24

shield		sud'den ly	
turtle	ankle	blanket	already
shoulder	forehead	pajamas	excellent

25

vis'i tor		wealth'y	
mimic	choose	clergy	banish
suspect	bugle	abrupt	monster

Supplementary Ex. 4: ẽ **as in** vẽrse; ĩ **as in** gĩrl; ã **as in** cellãr; õ **as in** sailõr. **Tilde** e

gẽrm	sĩr	cow'ãrd	ac'tõr
lov'ẽr	vĩr'gin	back'wãrd	di vi'sõr

Find words on pages 125 to 128 in which ẽ occurs.

26

cur′rant rogue

garment opposite fashion frigid
complete handkerchief nobody contrary

Very good jelly is made from *currants.*

27

cud′dle as′phalt

canteen untruth capture shield
trample ambush surround inspect

28

val′u a ble hymn

enrich shilling secure tulip
provide refreshment suddenly pollen

29

nim′ble man′do lin

fraud advance grudge frank
shout bandage cruelty butcher

30

seize sieve

brief barley arctic balloon
blanch bushel poultry balance

Supplementary Ex. 5: Dictation

Be just, and fear not;
Let all the ends thou aim'st at be thy country's,
Thy God's, and truth's. — SHAKESPEARE.

31

gleam		tow'er	
rogue	visitor	cuddle	hymn
currant	nimble	asphalt	valuable

32

va'por		wa'fer	
frolic	whir	attack	glaze
prank	pastime	accident	tumbler

33

chair'man		scen'er y	
garlic	starch	goal	cough
cucumber	cluster	island	moan

34

al'co hol		ful fill'	
senior	income	Irish	amount
faithful	wealthy	marshal	mandolin

35

col'umn		min'er al	
nervous	answer	bashful	filthy
folks	awkward	bracelet	burglar

Supplementary Ex. 6: û **as in** ûrge; ŏ **as in** wŏrd.

Circumflex u

sûr'ly	cûrve	wŏr'thy	wŏrk
bûr'glar	bûr'den	wŏrld'ly	wŏrm'wood

Find words on pages 125 to 128 in which û occurs.

36

or'phan re'al ly

seize	sieve	fulfill	vapor
tower	wafer	chairman	gleam

37

se'ri ous man'tle

volume	dead	bosom	angel
continue	author	alcohol	mount

You should buy new *mantles* for these gas lights.

38

a rith'me tic tu'tor

scenery	carol	switch	action
mountainous	canary	taxicab	movement

39

re pair' bur'row

afford	breathe	sausage	café
appointment	breath	cracker	menu

Supplementary Ex. 7: ou **as in** sound; ow **as in** cow

trout	sprout	growl	gown
hound	bound	drown	crown

Find words on pages 125 to 128 in which ou or ow occurs.

Suggestion: Write forms of words, as follows: deserve, deserving, deserved. Use *charge*, *arrange*, *change*, *argue*, *advise*, *sparkle*, *breathe*, *manage*.

40

FIRST SPELLING CONTEST

absence	adult	drowsy	mucilage
interrupt	justice	athletic	morsel
positive	tassel	attractive	afternoon
passenger	Canadian	dropped	expense
hardships	herbs	peaches	pickles
windows	stirred	soot	severe
permission	affair	grocery	diary
khaki	growth	argue	operate
partial	dying	traveling	sleigh
volunteer	forehead	complete	contrary
frigid	garment	fashion	handkerchief
nobody	opposite	shield	suddenly
visitor	wealthy	currant	rogue
cuddle	asphalt	valuable	hymn
nimble	mandolin	seize	sieve
gleam	tower	vapor	wafer
chairman	scenery	alcohol	fulfill
column	mineral	orphan	really
serious	mantle	tutor	arithmetic

repair burrow

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

41

fau′cet		ben′e fit	
invent	mantle	livery	forge
pattern	mineral	overtake	cringe

42

re ceive′		min′is ter	
ghost	rely	scout	tempt
startle	topic	orphan	impure

43

rep′tile		ru′ral	
lance	prime	column	group
fumble	quantity	arithmetic	bisect

44

ten′nis		ti′dings	
really	infect	repair	local
serious	hornet	service	general

45

ap′pe tite		bag′gage	
swear	curse	sworn	tutor
witness	abuse	temper	burrow

Supplementary Ex. 8: oi **as in** oil; oy **as in** boy

hoist	coin	an noy′	en joy′
noise	choice	em ploy′	de stroy′

Find words on pages 125 to 128 in which oi or oy occurs.

46

es'say fac'to ry

receive	tennis	rural	faucet
benefit	minister	tidings	reptile

47

fin'er y flick'er

ourselves	creamery	until	victor
understand	bakery	exclaim	kingdom

48

la'dle liq'uid

rebel	final	gape	stride
nickel	outrage	scorn	gait

49

schol'ar re mem'ber

public	protect	aid	pastor
taught	memory	advise	sermon

50

stran'gle car'riage

shrank	style	movable	accuse
broadcloth	wonderful	grease	swindle

Supplementary Ex. 9: Hard and soft sounds of c and g

mu'sic	çen'sor	ḡuide	ġen'er al
can'dle	tri'çy cle	ḡur'ḡle	en'ġine

Find words on pages 125 to 128 in which these sounds occur.

51

at ten'tion		plat'form	
finery	scholar	essay	factory
flicker	baggage	remember	appetite

52

pierce		veins	
snarl	ladle	roach	vermin
shred	liquid	pimple	serpent

53

ex am'ple		false'hood	
label	whether	assert	rustic
borax	weather	accomplish	correction

54

ax'le		dis ease'	
loot	flush	jail	marry
acquaint	theft	finally	independent

55

post'script		meas'ure	
means	coin	panel	carpenter
worthy	furrow	purchase	residence

Supplementary Ex. 10: Dictation

So nigh is grandeur to our dust,
  So near is God to man,
When duty whispers low, "Thou must,"
  The youth replies, "I can." — EMERSON.

56

squeak		stu′dent	
example	strangle	pierce	carriage
falsehood	attention	platform	handsome

57

cal′i co		trap′per	
dingy	axle	death	elder
castle	disease	starvation	couple

58

A mer′i can		ar′ter y	
mercy	blotch	injure	veins
cashier	blemish	stumble	wither

59

dwarf		ex am′ine	
gayety	itch	unable	silk
holiday	numb	reprove	shrill

60

height		ig′no rant	
include	tough	patient	sorrow
charity	muscle	uneven	invalid

Supplementary Ex. 11: Suspended bar for S and X

eggs	nois′y	ex ist′	ex ert′
po si′tion	pan′sy	ex act′	ex hib′it

Find words on pages 125 to 128 in which these sounds occur.

61

pa′tri ot		sol′der	
calico	trapper	artery	measure
American	postscript	squeak	student

62

gyp′sy		drowned	
inject	examine	dwarf	muslin
minnow	examination	shrink	crimson

63

foun′tain		sub′urb	
parsley	cider	liver	sloop
borrow	pastry	digestion	retail

64

ac′tu al		a gree′a ble	
blend	tinkle	poppy	feast
starry	trinket	matron	wedding

65

de clare′		ditch	
verge	coffee	ginger	acid
alcove	crayon	apricot	saffron

Supplementary Ex. 12: Homonyms

die, dye	gate, gait	wait, weight	might, mite
dying, dyeing	birth, berth	great, grate	night, knight

Use all these words in sentences; for example: The poor girl is *dying*. They are *dyeing* this cloth blue.

66

gram′mar		grum′ble	
solder	suburb	patriot	beneath
height	gypsy	ignorant	cauliflower

67

bruise		im me′di ate	
colic	actual	riot	eddy
drowned	agreeable	fluid	fountain

68

bi′cy cle		ped′al	
fuel	flue	fourteenth	fortieth
kindle	putty	eighteenth	nineteenth

69

sal′a ry		splen′did	
recent	defeat	cinder	notch
forenoon	dispute	engine	scissors

70

weap′on		Yan′kee	
angle	collect	title	writer
erect	twentieth	item	rime

Blank verse is written without *rimes*.

Supplementary Ex. 13: Dictation

That best portion of a good man's life,
His little, nameless, unremembered acts
Of kindness and of love. — WORDSWORTH.

71

com'ic cour'age

pedal declare grumble ditch
bruise grammar bicycle immediate

72

dredge dis play'

flannel cipher salary fraction
mattress multiplicand splendid minuend

73

ex cur'sion ham'mock

coarse fury gable sultry
clothes nicely basement autumn

74

nurs'er y tongue

avoid enemy ruffle juggle
commit disagree stammer coward

75

set'tle ment ad dress'

bases insect hotel Yankee
direction instant pleased division

Supplementary Ex. 14: mus'i cal in'stru ments

harp banjo bagpipe organ
cornet piano accordion mandolin

Teachers and pupils may add to this list of musical instruments.

76

pur sue′		veg′e ta ble	
sledge	comic	courage	weapon
dredge	display	hammock	excursion

77

se′ri al		whole′sale	
nursery	caress	fawn	tongue
believe	cackle	homely	chuckle

The story will be published in *serial* form.

78

cin′na mon		ce′re als	
scrawl	certainly	excite	apply
request	command	groom	whisk

Do you eat *cereals* for breakfast?

79

fur′nish		cli′mate	
toil	credit	canoe	error
exercise	cancel	capsize	torrid

Supplementary Ex. 15: phys i ol′o gy ab do′men

heart	muscles	lungs	artery
bowels	backbone	nerve	tendon

Teachers and pupils may name other parts of the body.

Suggestion: Write forms of words, as follows: try, trying, tried. Use *study*, *pity*, *occupy*, *weary*, *carry*, *envy*, *apply*.

80

SECOND SPELLING CONTEST

faucet	benefit	receive	minister
reptile	rural	tennis	tidings
appetite	baggage	essay	factory
finery	flicker	ladle	liquid
scholar	remember	strangle	carriage
attention	platform	pierce	veins
example	falsehood	axle	disease
postscript	measure	squeak	student
calico	trapper	American	artery
dwarf	examine	height	ignorant
patriot	solder	gypsy	drowned
fountain	suburb	actual	agreeable
declare	ditch	grammar	grumble
bruise	immediate	bicycle	pedal
salary	splendid	weapon	Yankee
comic	courage	dredge	display
excursion	hammock	nursery	tongue
settlement	address	pursue	vegetable
serial	wholesale	cinnamon	cereals

furnish climate

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

81

of fense′		par′a sol	
prince	police	pursue	address
quince	prison	pardon	settlement

82

sal′ad		dis ap point′	
annoy	decimal	divisor	turnip
admire	addition	multiply	vegetable

83

south′ern		stew′ard	
pair	purpose	union	deal
eagle	message	serial	wholesale

84

tri′fle		u ten′sil	
snort	handy	saddle	usher
gallop	cinnamon	sweater	unruly

85

al′mond		an′chor	
fare	furnish	climate	fail
depot	journey	valleys	brakes

Supplementary Ex. 16: Homonyms

fair, fare	bail, bale	size, sighs	all, awl
hair, hare	isle, aisle	break, brake	flew, flue

Use all these words in sentences; for example: Pay your *fare.* Is the *brake all* right now? Buy a *bale* of cotton.

86

cap'i tal		char'coal	
trifle	offense	utensil	salad
southern	disappoint	parasol	cereals

87

pe'ri od		court	
silence	lapse	noun	steward
comfort	pause	colon	hyphen

88

ex plode'		fa mil'iar	
fierce	wreck	ranch	retreat
terror	errand	Indian	retrace

89

fire'place		gig'gle	
circle	jostle	soldier	finish
tamper	disturb	complain	destroy

90

re joice'		in vi ta'tion	
assist	decide	satisfy	lively
arrange	delight	instead	partner

Supplementary Ex. 17: Dictation

Help the weak if you are strong,
  Love the old if you are young,
Own a fault if you are wrong,
  If you are angry, hold your tongue.

—WENTWORTH DILLON.

91

poul'tice		hu'mor	
almond	court	capital	explode
anchor	familiar	period	charcoal

92

of'fered		per suade'	
warmth	oily	quiver	tickle
fireplace	fiftieth	shiver	giggle

93

prob'lem		que'ry	
victory	giant	assail	became
excitement	combat	conquer	awhile

94

scour		shep'herd	
cedar	weary	cause	orchard
chestnut	season	lumber	homestead

95

stom'ach		sur'plus	
acre	surface	locate	prairie
area	acquire	weave	meadow

Supplementary Ex. 18: Homonyms

poles, polls	base, bass	oar, ore
bread, bred	paws, pause	vain, vein, vane

Use all these words in sentences; for example: One goes to the *polls* to vote. Here is a *vein* of silver *ore*.

96

trow′el va ca′tion

rejoice	persuade	blister	query
offered	invitation	poultice	problem

97

cro chet′ dis hon′est

refine	flare	scour	strength
glisten	torch	machine	shepherd

98

anx′ious busi′ness

engage	envy	slender	artist
dismiss	seventeenth	increase	carnival

99

cho′rus stat′ue

dealer	freak	entry	humor
fellow	sneak	circus	cartoon

100

rasp′ber ry fetch

correct	husband	novel	spirit
hostess	daughter	expect	hardy

Supplementary Ex. 19: or **as a Base in Word Study**

ŏr′ange	hŏr′rid	bŏr′row	hŏr′ri ble
fŏr′eign	mŏr′al	flŏr′id	cŏr′o ner
Flŏr′i da	Mŏr′ris	fŏr′est	to-mŏr′row

Find other words in Section III in which or occurs.

101

flo′rist		for′feit	
stomach	surplus	trowel	vacation
crochet	dishonest	anxious	business

102

fi′er y		gar′bage	
rustle	shrug	scalp	crock
wrestle	themselves	squall	craft

103

mo′tor		mat i née′	
cower	statue	piano	choir
farthest	cradle	concert	chorus

104

mix′ture		nat′u ral	
mere	thistle	stilt	grope
guess	goldenrod	leave	discover

105

ga rage′		prof′it	
naught	tansy	melon	cabbage
flimsy	hunger	celery	potatoes

Supplementary Ex. 20: or **as a Base in Word Study (continued)**

sŏr′ry	tŏr′rent	sŏr′row	tŏr′rid
sŏr′rel	cŏr′ri dor	cŏr′al	cŏr re spond′

Select another base and build with it.

106

sav'age		sec'tion	
gamble	fetch	motor	florist
raspberry	garbage	matinée	forfeit

107

stored		sim'pli fy	
tomb	illness	metal	natural
repose	hospital	cement	mixture

108

tai'lor		ter'ri ble	
booth	fever	gloom	wrap
timber	feeble	regard	grieve

109

va nil'la		up hol'stered	
alert	finished	exact	profit
fiery	planned	eager	signal

110

sick'le		scythe	
canal	weld	funnel	juice
sewer	cavity	trickle	gallon

Supplementary Ex. 21: Dictation

Day had awakened all things that be,
The lark, and the thrush, and the swallow free,
And the milkmaid's song, and the mower's scythe,
And the matin bell, and the mountain bee. — SHELLEY.

111

bil'lion		car na'tion	
garage	simplify	tailor	savage
stored	somewhat	section	terrible

112

cleanse		brake'man	
linen	suit	grocer	soda
collar	model	palate	vanilla

113

ache		fix'ture	
swoon	beetle	female	Italian
terrier	cockroach	learned	truthful

114

fra'grant		for'tune	
county	lava	heaven	habit
country	wrinkle	history	sober

115

hon'or		vil'lain	
crew	somewhere	none	code
shark	upholstered	surpass	craze

Supplementary Ex. 22: A long u Collection

mūse	en sūe'	dūpe	nūde
fū'tile	tū'mor	mūte	dūe
fū'sion	lū'na tic	tū'ber	tūne'ful

Find other words in Section III in which ū occurs.

116

med′i cine mod′ern

sickle	fester	ache	fixture
scythe	cleanse	billion	carnation

117

mo las′ses north′ern

daub	alter	fringe	violet
salve	chamber	dainty	fragrant

The waist is all right; do not *alter* it.

118

per form′ pres′ent ly

trouble	publish	recess	skill
brakeman	describe	lecture	injury

119

re stored′ i′ci cle

cocoa	though	thus	agency
coconut	quench	unless	fortune

Supplementary Ex. 23: Drill in Enunciation

rōs′ĕs	sōl′diẽr	rĭv′ĕt	fŏr*e*′*hĕad*
wa̤′tẽr	ŏf′*te*n	lĕngth	sŭ prēm*e*′
wīs′ĕst	wĭck′ĕd	strĕngth	kĭtch′ĕn

Teachers and pupils may add to this list. Give such drills frequently.

Suggestion: Write forms of words, as follows: refer, referring, referred. Use *commit*, *spur*, *blur*, *stop*, *beg*.

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offense	disappoint	salad	parasol
southern	steward	trifle	utensil
almond	anchor	capital	charcoal
period	court	explode	familiar
fireplace	giggle	rejoice	invitation
poultice	humor	offered	persuade
problem	query	scour	shepherd
stomach	surplus	trowel	vacation
crochet	dishonest	anxious	business
chorus	raspberry	statue	fetch
florist	forfeit	fiery	garbage
motor	matinée	mixture	natural
garage	profit	savage	section
stored	simplify	tailor	terrible
vanilla	upholstered	sickle	scythe
billion	carnation	cleanse	fixture
ache	brakeman	fragrant	fortune
honor	villain	medicine	modern
molasses	northern	perform	presently
restored		icicle	

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121

tar′nish		cam′bric	
buried	poison	practice	honor
desert	beckon	program	villain

122

at′tic		bou quet′	
modern	psalm	altar	soul
medicine	Sabbath	organ	temple

123

bar′gain		cat′er pil lar	
notify	northern	flood	needle
announce	molasses	occur	steeple

124

cu′ri ous		doubt	
vise	flaw	foul	perform
labor	eighth	haunt	presently

125

drooped		mis′chief	
icicle	course	enjoy	margin
subject	restored	respect	welfare

Supplementary Ex. 24: Homonyms

vice, vise	soul, sole	rap, wrap	lacks, lax
coarse, course	alter, altar	foul, fowl	tacks, tax

Use all these words in sentences; for example: Gambling is a *vice*. He held the board in a *vise*.

126

fla′vor vin′e gar

attic	doubt	tarnish	cambric
curious	bouquet	bargain	caterpillar

127

ge og′ra phy law′yer

kidnap	prosper	haul	farther
wander	explore	anywhere	saunter

They were too tired to *haul* the load any *farther*.

128

mor′tar bea′ver

twilight	zone	secret	almost
important	thunder	bribe	silent

129

scar′ci ty mag a zine′

jewel	quaint	uneasy	usual
sparkle	fiction	uproar	seldom

130

wor′ship tor′ment

panther	molest	offend	marble
mischief	prisoner	quarrel	mumble

Supplementary Ex. 25: States, etc., and their Abbreviations

Alabama, Ala.	California, Calif.	District of Columbia, D. C.
Alaska	Colorado, Colo.	
Arizona, Ariz.	Connecticut, Conn.	Florida, Fla.
Arkansas, Ark.	Delaware, Del.	Georgia, Ga.

131

bu′reau be grudge′

drooped	lawyer	flavor	mortar
geography	punish	vinegar	beaver

132

bound′a ry ba′sin

granary	collie	tease	peanut
wheelbarrow	kennel	Hallowe′en	scarcity

133

fright′ened fa′vor ite

botch	bundles	solid	inform
perhaps	supplied	wedge	magazine

134

glimpse ceil′ing

bade	whiz	blouse	sheath
manage	tricycle	fashionable	subtract

Supplementary Ex. 26: States, etc., and their Abbreviations

Hawaii	Kansas, Kans.	Massachusetts, Mass.
Idaho	Kentucky, Ky.	Michigan, Mich.
Illinois, Ill.	Louisiana, La.	Minnesota, Minn.
Indiana, Ind.	Maine	Mississippi, Miss.
Iowa	Maryland, Md.	Missouri, Mo.

Supplementary Ex. 27: Dictation

Breathes there the man with soul so dead,
Who never to himself hath said,
This is my own, my native land!

—Sir Walter Scott.

135

freck'le		in quire'	
question	yolk	slipped	junior
exception	gravy	tightened	senior

136

loi'ter		league	
worship	basin	bureau	favorite
boundary	torment	frightened	begrudge

137

la'zi ly		meth'od	
nature	crest	inner	ceiling
mountain	region	sphere	glimpse

138

rec'i pe		vo'cal	
lovable	merit	toilet	compose
pleasure	parlor	towel	whispered

139

riv'u let		ri'fle	
future	trial	unfair	scuffle
sentence	hereafter	propel	stagger

Supplementary Ex. 28 : Dictation

In works of labor or of skill
  I would be busy, too;
For Satan finds some mischief still
  For idle hands to do. — ISAAC WATTS.

140

so ci'e ty — rad'ish

ancient	mislaid	reached	headache
trumpet	expected	farmhouse	overworked

141

juic'y — ton'ic

lazily	method	loiter	vocal
freckle	inquire	recipe	league

142

buf'fa lo — bomb

lynx	rifle	insist	prettier
yelp	rivulet	insert	underwear

143

blu'ing — charmed

mayor	palace	ballot	raisin
mansion	servant	therefore	porridge

144

but'ter flies — leath'er

heave	apiece	allot	foster
harrow	district	occupy	afterward

Supplementary Ex. 29: States and their Abbreviations

Montana, Mont.	New Jersey, N. J.
Nebraska, Nebr.	New Mexico, N. Mex.
Nevada, Nev.	New York, N. Y.
New Hampshire, N. H.	North Carolina, N. C.

145

dried		fa′mous	
misery	hazel	rescue	depart
aboard	horror	perish	separate

146

quo′tient		in i′tial	
society	bomb	bluing	tonic
buffalo	radish	juicy	charmed

147

lin′ing		suc ceed′	
miser	merchant	obtain	proceed
oblige	customer	pledge	draft

148

ac cept′		mac a ro′ni	
navy	parade	station	remain
uniform	acceptance	safety	everybody

Supplementary Ex. 30 : States, etc., and their Abbreviations

North Dakota, N. Dak.
Ohio
Oklahoma, Okla.
Oregon
Pennsylvania, Pa.
Philippine Islands, P. I.
Porto Rico, P. R.
Rhode Island, R. I.
South Carolina, S. C.
South Dakota, S. Dak.
Tennessee, Tenn.
Texas, Tex.
Utah
Vermont, Vt.
Virginia, Va.
Washington, Wash.
West Virginia, W. Va.
Wisconsin, Wis.
Wyoming, Wyo.

149

hoarse pre serve′

permit	waiter	warble	hatch
nickname	leather	welcome	butterflies

150

path′way pos′si ble

niece	human	valve	widow
nephew	conduct.	yeast	wives

151

rap′id ly to′ward

dried	famous	accept	initial
lining	succeed	quotient	macaroni

152

spin′ning sug gest′

magic	nerve	postal	parental
sketch	tremble	meter	wherever

Supplementary Ex. 31: flow′ers blos′soms

daisy	lilac	hollyhock	bluebell
peony	crocus	sunflower	buttercup

Teachers and pupils may add to this list of flowers.

Supplementary Ex. 32: Dictation

If wisdom's ways you'd wisely seek,
Five things observe with care:
Of whom you speak, to whom you speak,
And how, and when, and where.

153

rein		van′ished	
harness	relish	shoal	sallow
prepare	oyster	preserve	sputter

He ought to put new *reins* in that *harness*.

154

treas′ure		youth	
notion	crease	horse	expose
reason	motive	hoarse	advised

155

tanned		vi o lin′	
hound	sponge	hover	several
trench	splinter	mustard	together

156

ty′ing		mel′o dy	
pathway	suggest	sure	toward
spinning	possible	rapidly	vanished

Supplementary Ex. 33: Dictation

Not as the conqueror comes,
They, the true-hearted, came;
Not with the roll of the stirring drums
And the trumpet that sings of fame;

Not as the flying come,
In silence and in fear;—
They shook the depths of the desert gloom
With their hymns of lofty cheer.

—Mrs. Hemans.

157

sa'ble		snatch	
squash	vial	gasoline	youth
pumpkin	sirup	kerosene	treasure

158

ru'in		since	
package	walnut	nozzle	reject
postage	blunder	untied	unravel

159

la pel'		wrench	
purple	repast	smiled	resist
scarlet	delighted	danced	rein

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tarnish	cambric	attic	bouquet
bargain	caterpillar	curious	doubt
drooped	mischief	flavor	vinegar
geography	lawyer	mortar	beaver
scarcity	magazine	worship	torment
bureau	begrudge	boundary	basin
frightened	favorite	glimpse	ceiling
freckle	inquire	loiter	league
lazily	method	recipe	vocal
rivulet	rifle	society	radish

juicy	tonic	buffalo	bomb
butterflies	charmed	bluing	leather
dried	famous	quotient	initial
lining	succeed	accept	macaroni
hoarse	preserve	pathway	possible
rapidly	toward	spinning	suggest
rein	vanished	treasure	youth
tanned	violin	tying	melody
sable	snatch	ruin	since

lapel wrench

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ăb′sençe	ăl′mȯnd	at tĕn′tiȯn	bī′çy̆ ele
ăe çĕpt′	ȧ mĕr′ĭ ean	ăt′tĭe	bĭl′liȯn
āehe	ăn′ehŏr	at trăe′tĭve	blu̇ ĭng
ăe′tū al	ăn x′ious [1]	ăx′le	bŏmb
ad drĕss′	ăp′pē tīte	băg′gȧġe	bound′ȧ ry̆
ȧ dŭlt′	är′gūe	bär′gain [2]	bou̇ queṭ′
af fâir′	ȧ rĭth′mē tĭe	bā′sin	brākeʹman
ȧft ẽr nōōn′	är′tẽr y̆	bēa′vĕr	bru̇iṣe
ȧ gree′ȧ ble	ăs′phălt	bē grŭdġe′	bŭf′fȧ lō
ăl′eȯ hŏl	ăth lĕt′ĭe	bĕn′ē fĭt	bū′reau [3]

[1] ăṅk′shus. [2] băr′gĕn. [3] bū′rō.

bŭr′rōw	coŭr′ȧġe	ĕx̱ ăm′ĭne	foun′taĭn
buṣi′nĕss [1]	cōurt	ĕx̱ ăm′ple	frā′grant
bŭt′tẽr flïeṣ	crō chet′	ĕx cûr′sion	frĕck′le
căl′ĭ cō	cŭd′dle	ĕx pĕnse′	frīght′ened
cām′brĭc	cū′rĭ ous	ĕx plōde′	frĭġ′ĭd
Cȧ nā′dĭ an	cŭr′rant	făc′tō rȳ	ful fĭll′
căp′ĭ tal	dė clâre′	falṣe′hood	fûr′nĭsh
cär nā′tion	dī′ȧ rȳ	fȧ mĭl′iȧr	gȧ räge′ [3]
căr′rĭaġe	dĭs ap point′	fā′mous	gär′bȧġe
căt′ẽr pĭl lãr	dĭṣ ēaṣe′	făsh′ion	gär′ment
çēil′ĭng	dĭs hŏn′ĕst	fau′çĕt	ġė ŏg′rȧ phȳ
çē′rė alṣ	dĭs plāy′	fā′vŏr ĭte	gĭg′gle
châir′man	dĭtch	fĕtch	glēam
chär′cōal	doubt	fī′ẽr ȳ	glĭmpse
chärmed	drĕdġe	fĭn′ẽr ȳ	grăm′mãr
chō′rus	drīed	fīre′plāçe	grō′çẽr ȳ
çĭn′nȧ mon	drōōped	fĭx′tūre	grōwth
clĕanṣe	drŏpped	flā′vŏr	grŭm′ble
clī′mȧte	drowned	flĭck′ẽr	ġȳp′sȳ
cŏl′umn	drow′ṣȳ	flō′rĭst	hăm′mŏck
cŏm′ĭc	dwarf	fŏre′hĕad	hănd′kẽr chĭef
com plēte′	dȳ′ĭng	fôr′feĭt	härd′shĭps
cŏn′trȧ rȳ	ĕs′sāy [2]	fôr′tūne	heīght

[1] bĭz′nĕs. [2] noun; verb is ĕs sāy′. [3] gȧ räzh′.

*h*ẽrbs̱ loi′tẽr nôrth′ẽrn pōst′s*e*rĭpt
hō*a*rs*e* mā*e* ạ̣ rō′nĭ nûrs′ẽr y̆ pō*u*l′tĭç*e*
*h*ŏn′ŏr măḡ ạ̣ zĭn*e*′ o*f* fẽns*e*′ prẽs̱′ent lȳ
hū′mŏı măn′dȯ lĭn ŏf′*f*ẽre*d* prė s̱ẽrv*e*′
hy̆m*n* măn′tl*e* ŏp′ẽr āt*e* prŏb′lĕm
ī′çĭ *e*l*e* măt ĭ nē*e*′ ŏp′*p*ȯ s̱ĭt*e* prŏf′ĭt
ĭḡ′nȯ rant mĕ*a*s′ûre [2] ôr′phan pur sū*e*′
ĭ*m* mē′dĭ ā*t*e mĕd′ĭ çĭn*e* păr′ạ̣ sŏl quē′ry̆
ĭn ĭ′tial mĕl′ȯ dy̆ pär′tial quō′tient [4]
ĭn quīr*e*′ mĕth′ȯd păs′*s*en ġẽr răd′ĭsh
ĭn tẽ*r* rŭpt′ mĭn′ẽr al pȧth′wā*y* răp′ĭd lȳ
ĭn vĭ tā′tiȯn mĭn′ĭs tẽr pā′trĭ ot răs̱*p*′bĕr *r*y̆
ju̇*i*ç′y̆ mĭs′chĭ*e*f pē*a*ch′ĕs̱ rē′al *l*y̆
jŭs′tĭç*e* mĭx′tū̆*r*e pĕd′al rė çē*i*v*e*′
k*h*ä′ki [1] mŏd′ẽrn pẽr fôrm′ rĕç′ĭ pē
lā′dl*e* mȯ lăs′*s*ĕs̱ pē′rĭ od re̱*i*n
lạ̣ pĕl′ môr′sel per mi*s*′sion [3] rė joiç*e*′
law′yẽr môr′tăr pẽr suād*e*′ rė mĕm′bẽr
lā′zĭ lȳ mō′tŏr pĭck′le*s*̱ rė pâ*i*r′
lē*a*ḡ*ue* mū′çĭ lăġ*e* p*i*ērç*e* rĕp′tĭl*e*
lĕ*a*th′ẽr năt′ū̆ ral plăt′fôrm rė stōred′
lĭn′ĭng nĭm′bl*e* pŏs̱′ĭ tĭv*e* rī′fl*e*
lĭq′uĭd nō′bŏd y̆ pŏs′*s*ĭ bl*e* rĭv′ū̆ lĕt

[1] kä′kȧ. [2] mĕzh′ûr. [3] pẽr mĭsh′un. [4] kwō′shent.

rōg*ue* sĭm′plĭ fȳ sûr′plŭs vȧ ea′tiȯn
ru̇′ĭn sĭnç*e* tāi′lŏr văl′ȯ ạ̇ bl*e*
ru̇′ral sle̱*igh* tănn*ed* vạ̇ nĭl′lạ̇
sā′bl*e* snătch tär′nĭsh văn′ĭsh*ed*
săl′ạ̇d sȯ çī′ė tȳ tăs′*se*l vā′pŏr
săl′ạ̇ rȳ sŏl′dĕr tĕn′*n*ĭs vĕġ′ė tạ̇ bl*e*
săv′ạ̇ġ*e* sŏŏt tĕr′*r*ĭ bl*e* ve̱*in*s̱
seâr′çĭ tȳ soŭth′ĕrn tī′dĭngs̱ vĭl′*la*ĭn
scēn′ĕr ȳ spĭn′*n*ĭng tȯng*ue* vĭn′ė ḡär
se*h*ŏl′ăr splĕn′dĭd tŏn′ĭe vī ȯ lĭn′
seour squē*a*k tôr′mĕnt [2] vĭs̱′ĭ tŏr
scȳth*e* stăt′ū*e* tō′*w*ärd vō′eal
sĕe′tiȯn stew′ärd tow′ĕr vŏl un teer′
sē*ize* stĭr*red* trăp′*p*ĕr wā′fĕr
sē′rĭ al stȯm′ach [1] trăv′el ĭng wĕ*a*lth′ȳ
sē′rĭ *o*us stōr*ed* trĕ*as*′ŭr*e* [3] wĕ*a*p′ȯn
sĕt′*tle* ment străṉ′ḡl*e* trī′fl*e* *w*hōl*e*′sāl*e*
sė vēr*e*′ stū′dent trow′el wĭn′dō*w*s̱
shĕp′*h*ĕrd sŭb′ûrb tū′tŏr wŏr′shĭp
sh*i*ēld sue çeed′ tȳ′ĭng *w*rĕnch
sĭck′*le* sŭd′*de*n lȳ ŭp hōl′stĕr*ed* Yăṉ′kė*e*
sĭ*eve* sug̱ ġĕst′ ŭ tĕn′sĭl yo̱uth

NOTE. — Review in oral contest the annual contests of Sections I and II; also words misspelled during the year.

[1] stŭm′uk. [2] noun; verb is tŏr mĕnt′. [3] trĕzh′ûr.

SECTION IV

1

heir'ess		bal'co ny	
alight	adhere	anthem	villain
compel	inquire	familiar	astonish

The *heiress* will have an income of forty thousand dollars a year. The general reviewed the parade from the *balcony* of his home.

2

cam'phor		o'dor	
benefit	league	athletic	axle
benefited	audience	inquiry	eightieth

3

e lec'tric		dam'age	
morsel	diet	exist	expel
fragment	grocery	exert	ferret

4

ed u ca'tion		o pin'ion	
British	dying	solder	adjective
Great Britain	bruise	liquor	disappoint

5

im'age		jeal'ous	
alleys	loyal	poultice	tissue
improvement	statue	brakeman	repent

6[1]

knuck'le		stam pede'	
odor	balcony	camphor	damage
electric	contract	ammonia	bedstead

7

judg'ment		na'tion al	
native	totter	oath	object
lawyer	opinion	formal	voyage

8

oc ca'sion		pa la'tial	
proof	lasso	peer	perspire
molar	proper	heiress	perfume

9

quo'rum		ra'tions	
educate	positive	rogue	polish
education	passenger	permission	pronounce

10

sa li'va		tan'dem	
sprawl	serial	quote	skulk
stirrup	asphalt	scribble	mandolin

Supplementary Ex. 1: a, e, i, o, u **long in closing Accented Syllables**

hā'los	fē'ver	lī'bel	hū'mor
pā'tri ot	To pē'ka	fī'ber	Ō kla hō'ma

Pupils may find twenty other words in which the long vowel occurs in this manner.

[1] Lessons numbered in this manner are to be given Mondays.

11

priv'i lege va lise'

image	jealous	knuckle	palatial
judgment	national	occasion	stampede

12

war'rant yacht

target	thrift	puncture	taper
throttle	scenery	radiator	suppose

Thrift is the power to save.

13

sin cere'ly bur'i al

vivid	peril	rations	troop
wrench	quotient	throve	gypsy

14

can'o py den'tist

plaid	beautiful	vacation	elect
uncertain	cashmere	healthful	quorum

15

em'pha sis sat is fac'to ry

icicle	cistern	fatal	failed
crockery	cleanliness	bravery	failure

Supplementary Ex. 2: a, e, i, o, u **short, followed by a Consonant other than** r **in Accented Syllables**

Ja păn'	dĭz'zy	ab sŏlve'	ad jŭst'
pro tĕct'	re sĭst'	Thŏm'as	rŭs'set

Pupils may find twenty other words in which the short vowel occurs in this manner.

16

gal'lant		sta'tion er y	
saliva	yacht	clew	valise
warrant	tandem	pagan	burial

17

bev'er age		di vis'i ble	
manager	nonsense	pacify	alcohol
magnify	accidental	sincerely	absence

18

knack		lan'guage	
normal	canopy	larva	affair
attractive	quality	adult	interview

19

ma'jor		nu'mer ous	
safeguard	vacant	afternoon	period
American	privilege	undertake	argument

20

dis ap pear'		par'a graph	
dentist	zigzag	actual	Eden
agreeable	incident	severe	rejoice

Supplementary Ex. 3: Dictation

1. One example is worth a thousand arguments.
— GLADSTONE.

2. Love thyself last; cherish those hearts that hate thee,
Corruption wins not more than honesty.
Still in thy right hand carry gentle peace,
To silence envious tongues. — SHAKESPEARE.

21

quin'sy ra'di ant

emphasis	complete	knack	divisible
beverage	satisfactory	gallant	language

22

ex pla na'tion tap'es try

alto	pursue	almond	cancer
melody	earnest	appetite	attention

23

vague waltz

sure	illegal	anxious	induce
arithmetic	numerous	dishonest	address

24

a ban'don cir'cuit

Chinese	major	barge	attic
stationery	beacon	anchor	abide

25

Ben'ja min siege

traveling	ache	canine	canvas
traveler	captive	burrow	leather

Supplementary Ex. 4: ä, ĕ, ĭ, ô, û, followed by r in Accented Syllables

bärn	fĕrn	ôr'der	in cûr'
de bär'	in fĕr'	stĭr'ring	bûr'den

Pupils may find twenty other words in which these vowels occur in this manner.

26

con ceal′		ex hi bi′tion	
knave	tapestry	vague	waltz
disappear	paragraph	quinsy	radiant

27

de cay′		de file′	
beaver	career	baggage	business
hemstitch	succeed	carriage	offensive

28

ea′sel		pi′geon	
flange	circuit	franc	relate
buffalo	abandon	billion	boundary

29

fan′ci ful		fath′om	
drowned	gauze	gigantic	basin
explanation	girdle	butterflies	bouquet

30

gal′ler y		ging′ham	
bluing	hazy	bomb	donate
deformed	pierce	upholstered	bargain

Supplementary Ex. 5: a, e, i, o, u **short, in Accented Syllables, when followed by** rr **or** r **and a Vowel**

căr′ry	păr′ry	pĕr′il	hŭr′ry
băr′rack	tĕr′ri ble	mĭr′ror	mŏr′row

Pupils may find ten other words in which these vowels occur in this manner.

31

hearse		hom'i ny	
siege	defile	easel	pigeon
Benjamin	decay	conceal	mortal

32

i de'al		id i ot'ic	
chairman	fanciful	compass	jersey
imprison	manufacturer	begrudge	lament

33

con cern'		ju'bi lant	
lavish	alms	Canadian	debase
massive	mastiff	Australian	collector

34

loy'al ty		lunch'eon	
united	hoarse	humor	neglect
contrary	fathom	exhibition	glimmer

35

mi li'tia		mir'a cle	
pivot	patrol	currant	dangerous
cereals	patron	cinnamon	knowledge

Supplementary Ex. 6: Dictation

1. A little learning is a dangerous thing. — Pope.
2. Knowledge comes, but wisdom lingers. — Tennyson.
3. Wealth and rule slip down with Fortune,
   As her wheel turns round;
   He who keeps his faith, he only
   Cannot be discrowned. — Lowell.

36

in'do lent		ob serve'	
indolence	ideal	hearse	hominy
gingham	idiotic	gallery	jubilant

37

clam'or		prin'ci pal	
loyalty	relax	calico	comic
courage	relief	bandit	ransom

38

ra'zor		re ceipt'	
install	initial	receive	tenant
charcoal	luncheon	capital	cleanse

39

splen'dor		be witch'ing	
tropic	orphan	talent	treble
engrave	court	concern	chorus

Supplementary Ex. 7: a **medial, when followed by** ff, ft, ss, st, sk, sp, nt, nce

stáff	gráss	clásp	chánt
áft'er	más'ter	cás'ket	chánce

Pupils may find ten other words in which á occurs in this manner.

Supplementary Ex. 8: Silent e **final is dropped, when?**

change	changing	arguing	advising
continue	continued	continuing	salable

Final e is usually dropped on the addition of a suffix beginning with a vowel. (See page 10, rule 4.) Follow this rule in adding *ed* and *ing* to *ache*, *defile*, *damage*.

40

FIRST SPELLING CONTEST

camphor	odor	electric	damage
education	opinion	image	jealous
knuckle	stampede	judgment	national
occasion	palatial	quorum	rations
saliva	tandem	privilege	valise
warrant	yacht	sincerely	burial
canopy	dentist	emphasis	satisfactory
gallant	stationery	beverage	divisible
knack	language	major	numerous
disappear	paragraph	quinsy	radiant
explanation	tapestry	vague	waltz
abandon	circuit	Benjamin	siege
conceal	exhibition	decay	defile
easel	pigeon	fanciful	fathom
gallery	gingham	hearse	hominy
ideal	idiotic	concern	jubilant
loyalty	luncheon	militia	miracle
indolent	observe	clamor	principal
razor	receipt	splendor	bewitching

heiress balcony

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

41

con duc'tor		de pend'ent	
artery	dandy	drooped	militia
dagger	curious	carnation	miracle

42

brev'i ty		brib'er y	
charmed	vigor	clamor	vary
caterpillar	indolent	cambric	observe

43

dahl'ia		cat'a ract	
pouch	purity	clever	principal
drowsy	bewitching	acquit	respectfully

44

civ'il		de sir'ous	
strife	dredge	spiral	razor
soothe	stockade	dropped	receipt

45

en liv'en		en ti'tle	
lobby	minor	diary	splendor
dwarf	muffle	narrate	merchandise

Supplementary Ex. 9: a, e, i, o, u **long in an Accented Syllable closed by Silent** e **preceded by a Single Consonant**

gāle	o blīge'	mīce	mūte
re mōte'	pre cēde'	con fīne·	in clōse'

Pupils may find ten other words in which these vowels occur in this manner.

46

fer'tile		fes'ti val	
brevity	bribery	dahlia	cataract
desirous	conductor	decorate	viaduct

47

syl'la ble		en'er gy	
affirm	civil	remit	agile
define	absurd	declare	ditch

48

dis sat'is fied		har poon'	
covet	dried	doubt	cuddle
enlarge	cornet	consume	dependent

49

in'ti mate		in trude'	
tense	rebuke	shroud	curt
example	fortify	engineer	essay

50

mon'u ment		me rid'i an	
profane	recline	examine	pulpit
prevail	presence	measure	perform

Supplementary Ex. 10: n **pronounced** ng **before** k **and** g **hard**

fin'ger	thank'ful	can'ker	an'kle
an'ger	lin'ger	ban'quet	un'cle

Find ten other words in which n is pronounced ng before k and g hard.

51

heif'er		par'al lel	
enliven	entitle	fertile	festival
syllable	toward	dissatisfied	harpoon

52

pul'ley		pyr'a mid	
expense	scoff	energy	repel
expensive	squirm	magazine	since

53

re hears'al		se'cre cy	
vital	creak	crane	deed
frigid	modest	discovery	struggle

54

so'cial		sol'emn	
fulfill	taint	intrude	finery
absorb	valid	fashion	fortune

55

trou'sers		fur'ni ture	
bicycle	affect	faucet	column
sleigh	disease	vinegar	factory

The disease *affected* his throat.

Supplementary Ex. 11: twen'ty-one' rock'ing-chair

to-day	good-by	looking-glass	half-witted
to-morrow	to-night	forget-me-not	morning-glory

Find other words in which the hyphen occurs; consult the dictionary for each of them.

56

ac'cu rate		cau'tious	
pulley	pyramid	heifer	secrecy
monument	meridian	rehearsal	parallel

57

a pol'o gy		can'di date	
flicker	gouge	furnish	social
various	stupid	grapple	serene

58

corpse		crev'ice	
farce	Spanish	mental	atone
solemn	Spaniard	falsehood	intimate

59

crys'tal		de liv'er	
dazzle	invert	fetch	domestic
fireplace	furniture	source	bureau

60

drought		ex alt'	
harbor	libel	florist	forfeit
display	modern	climate	consist

Supplementary Ex. 12: Dictation

1. Silently, one by one, in the infinite meadows of heaven,
   Blossomed the lovely stars, the forget-me-nots of the angels. — LONGFELLOW.
2. How sweet the moonlight sleeps upon this bank!
   Here will we sit and let the sounds of music
   Creep in our ears. — SHAKESPEARE.

61

fiend		fo'li age	
khaki	cautious	corpse	crevice
trousers	candidate	accurate	veranda

62

grav'i ty		el'e va tor	
argue	lever	flavor	crystal
assure	apology	missive	percentage

63

in dorse'		in san'i ty	
freckle	pilot	progress	ambulance
forehead	prophet	democrat	frightened

64

ju'rist		gos'pel	
stress	device	famous	lathe
indeed	entreat	favorite	auger

65

li'cense		li'bra ry	
peerless	produce	growth	deliver
grammar	peevish	prominent	garment

Supplementary Ex. 13. When is final y changed to i?

copy	copying	copied	copies
multiply	multiplying	multiplied	multiplier

Final *y*, preceded by a consonant, is kept before a suffix beginning with *i*, but is changed to *i* before any other suffix. (See page 10, rule 2.)

66

mis'sion		mod'er ate	
gravity	exalt	fiend	foliage
elevator	indorse	insanity	drought

67

mu si'cian		or'di na ry	
editor	tongue	stutter	fixture
proverb	veins	grumble	property

68

ne'groes		reg'is ter	
giggle	adjourn	agony	palsy
crochet	gospel	aching	garbage

69

spe'cial		stu'di ous	
jurist	ardent	breach	excursion
anteroom	assertion	glimpse	geography

70

serge		te'di ous	
comfortable	collide	clannish	herbs
handkerchief	comply	captivate	raspberry

She bought this blue *serge* at a special sale.

Supplementary Ex. 14: base'ball' games

score	pitcher	catcher	league
innings	bleachers	coaching	umpire

What other words do you use in speaking of the national game?

71

con'tact — al to geth'er

license	library	mission	register
musician	ordinary	negroes	moderate

72

dic'tion a ry — im ag'ine

await	gesture	hymn	relent
hinder	angelic	sacred	height

73

hu man'i ty — in'no cent

infer	missile	hammock	juror
aspire	merciful	warehouse	journal

74

mus'cu lar — pa'tience

volcano	unity	honor	festal
interrupt	vandal	hardships	special

75

o rig'i nal — peace'a ble

realize	adjust	studious	wanton
immediately	accost	ignorant	infancy

Supplementary Ex. 15: Contractions

don't	doesn't	hasn't	I'm	it's	aren't	can't
isn't	couldn't	haven't	he's	she's	wasn't	won't

Use each of these contractions in a sentence, and give also the full form; for example: They don't (do not) weigh much. He doesn't (does not) like my dog. It's (it is) not in its place.

76

pro'noun		rein'deer	
serge	tedious	recur	president
merge	humanity	contact	dictionary

77

sar dine'		scourge	
altogether	imagine	anticipate	admiral
innocent	agreement	invitation	instantly

78

gen'er ous		ten'e ment	
available	shrine	dense	ardor
patience	muscular	italic	justice

79

squab'ble		ho'sier y	
ladle	cargo	jewelry	revise
liquid	carbon	abound	classify

Supplementary Ex. 16: Contractions

I'll	they'll	I'd	there's	what's	I've	let's
we'll	you'll	we'd	where's	we've	you've	you're

Use all these contractions in sentences, and give the full forms; thus: I'll (I shall) not go. They'll (they will) soon be here. Let's (let us) go home. You're (you are) in your own car.

Supplementary Ex. 17: Dictation

"Do the duty that is nearest thee" — that first and that well; all the rest will disclose themselves with increasing clearness and make their successive demands. — CARLYLE.

80

SECOND SPELLING CONTEST

brevity	bribery	dahlia	cataract
civil	desirous	enliven	entitle
fertile	festival	syllable	energy
dissatisfied	harpoon	intimate	intrude
monument	meridian	heifer	parallel
pulley	pyramid	rehearsal	secrecy
social	solemn	trousers	furniture
accurate	cautious	apology	candidate
corpse	crevice	crystal	deliver
drought	exalt	fiend	foliage
gravity	elevator	indorse	insanity
jurist	gospel	license	library
mission	moderate	musician	ordinary
negroes	register	special	studious
serge	tedious	contact	altogether
dictionary	imagine	humanity	innocent
muscular	patience	original	peaceable
pronoun	reindeer	sardine	scourge
generous	tenement	squabble	hosiery

conductor dependent

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

81

en've lope		ad'ver tise	
however	defy	feud	original
fragrant	bliss	excel	peaceable

82

ad van'tage		pam'phlet	
dean	felon	loiter	pronoun
generous	abnormal	deceive	reindeer

83

cen ten'ni al		ma te'ri als	
sullen	sardine	suffix	sundry
hosiery	scourge	lining	mineral

84

ver'dict		su perb'	
feat	allude	lapel	zealous
regular	tenement	admission	wrought

And *feats* of strength went round. — GOLDSMITH.

85

cam'er a		por'trait	
minister	personal	tribute	mantle
ambition	adornment	squabble	nimble

Supplementary Ex. 18: Words often Mispronounced

pic'ture	ex clu'sive	op po'nent	häunt
ad dress'	ab do'men	dis course'	täunt
ĕn've lope	in'ter est ing	ro mance'	läunch

Drill frequently on the list.

86

ref'er ence — mo ral'i ty

believe	memorize	superb	pamphlet
accept	centennial	verdict	advantage

What a man desires, he easily *believes.* — LONGFELLOW.

87

stor'age — ves'ti bule

medicine	degree	advertise	plight
commendable	clause	commission	mixture

88

a pos'tro phe — nec'es sa ry

seizure	sandal	film	merely
arrangement	secrete	method	construct

89

dra'per y — for lorn'

employ	socket	grange	molasses
flourish	forsake	mortar	macaroni

90

frag'ile — div'i dend

envelope	invade	nobody	Belgian
typewriter	allowance	amazement	materials

Supplementary Ex. 19: Words Often Mispronounced

po'ĕm	truthṣ	bậ nä'nậ	Lat'ĭn
sau'cy	*sw*ōrd	ap pa rā'tus	heärth
pro nŭn ci a'tion	fau'cet	băr'i tone	Ĭ tal'ian

Add many words in the use of this exercise.

91

al'li ga tor		al'ti tude	
camera	portrait	reference	storage
matinée	vestibule	apostrophe	morality

92

pri va'tions		bi'as	
sparse	fervor	respite	barter
natural	remorse	forlorn	nursery

93

fre'quent		pov'er ty	
incur	inclose	inspire	fountain
opposite	multiple	necessary	northern

94

man'i fest		loathe	
offense	drapery	oratory	option
mischief	scallops	organize	operate

95

vict'uals		wea'sel	
partial	wealth	offered	theme
custom	amendment	advisable	officer

Supplementary Ex. 20: Long u Grouping

av'e nūe	lū'bri cate	dū'pli cate	lū'mi nous
mū'tu al	nū'mer ous	in sti tū'tion	il lū'mi nate
nū'mer a tor	sū per vise'	sū per vi'sor	sū'per fine

Pupils may find other words in Section IV in which ū occurs.

96

im′i tate — con tra dict′

frágile	bias	frequent	altitude
repair	dividend	alligator	impossible

97

ex′e cute — pol′i cy

salad	stored	pilfer	peaches
pickles	spatter	privations	entertain

98

will′ful — sec′re ta ry

chasm	poverty	ceiling	pedal
continent	providence	cupboard	lazily

99

e quip′ — in tro duce′

staple	loathe	stealth	surely
importance	platinum	platform	Mexican

100

skel′e ton — vi′sion

reckon	render	efface	veto
amend	manifest	postscript	patriot

Supplementary Ex. 21: Dictation

Toiling, — rejoicing, — sorrowing,
  Onward through life he goes;
Each morning sees some task begin,
  Each evening sees it close.
— LONGFELLOW, "The Village Blacksmith."

101

ac quaint'ance		grate'ful	
execute	weasel	juicy	secretary
willful	imitate	victuals	contradict

102

res o lu'tion		vis'i ble	
steady	frantic	affront	enrage
abreast	acrobat	exclude	explode

103

de tached'		e qual'i ty	
policy	jumble	persuade	forcible
variety	shrimp	presently	problem

104

ruf'fi an		ser e nade'	
resort	equip	profit	sliver
possible	necessarily	treaty	pathway

105

cor'dial ly		si'phon	
parasol	rival	ruby	sluggish
smuggle	introduce	stubborn	preserve

Supplementary Ex. 22: When is the Final Consonant doubled?

occur	begin	occurrence	beginning
grinning	propeller	submitted	skimming

Monosyllables and words accented on the last syllable, ending in a single consonant preceded by a single vowel, usually double the final consonant on taking a suffix beginning with a vowel. (See page 10, rule 8.)

106

re gret'ted		ant arc'tic	
pitiful	resolution	grateful	equality
skeleton	acquaintance	detached	vocal

107

con vene'		ev'i dent	
record	humble	quire	vision
ruffian	invention	query	visible

A *quire* is twenty-four sheets of paper.

108

gen'u ine		ma don'na	
really	represent	bishop	burly
generally	accomplishment	publication	tactful

109

prac'ti cal		rem'nant	
squander	vulgar	reptile	rural
remember	scramble	shackle	serenade

110

sher'iff		shrewd	
ruin	restored	virtue	recipe
turban	spoonful	create	rubbish

Supplementary Ex. 23: Drill in Pronunciation

Mĭçh'ĭ ḡan, ȧsk*ed*, ĕnd'ĕd, out, eow, fôr'wärd, ā'rē ạ̊, gō'ĭng, rōōt, rọ*ute*, rout, rōōf, sōōt, New Ôr'lē anş, pā'thŏs, ġē ŏḡ'rạ̊ phy̆, ereek, whīt*e*, Sē ăt'*tle*, ạ̊ rĭth'mē tĭe, hĭs'tō ry̆, răş*p*'bĕr *r*y̆, prō'ḡrăm, ḡŭmş, tō'*w*ärdş, ḡĕt, stĕp*pe*s, whạt, pā'trŏn, rē sē*a*rch', kĕt'*tle*, läu*g*h, tŏ mā'tō, Vīr ġĭn'ĭ ạ̊, ăs'phält.

111

a part'ment		choc'o late	
cordially	siphon	genuine	antarctic
convene	evident	madonna	regretted

112

drug'gist		ex hale'	
crisp	croak	rein	graft
radish	rivulet	depend	museum

113

leg'end		mil'li ner	
rifle	total	rapidly	remnant
moralist	void	vanished	mucilage

114

ter'race		sys'tem	
array	wisdom	sable	swath
artful	practical	suggest	scarcity

115

shriv'el		val'or	
trail	crutch	connect	triple
condition	converse	spinning	society

Supplementary Ex. 24: Dictation

1. Silence is a great peacemaker.
2. It is easier to pull down than to build up. — PROVERB.
3. I regret that I have but one life to lose for my country.
— NATHAN HALE.

116

a'mi a ble — coin'age

sheriff	exhale	legend	milliner
druggist	shrewd	apartment	chocolate

117

a muse'ment — cha'os

stirred	avert	serious	bestow
terrace	detail	audible	windows

118

a nal'y sis — res'tau rant

salary	arrears	assent	soot
average	funeral	shrivel	denote

119

an nounce'ment — col'lege

attract	system	shield	seize
occurred	attitude	attend	frolicsome

Supplementary Ex. 25: Drill in Pronunciation

Păl'ĕs tīn*e*, eăn, mŭsk'răt, mŭsk'mĕl ȯn, boil, kĭn'dĕr ḡär ten, frăḡ'ment, ŏf'*f*ĭçe, Hä wa*ī*'ĭ, ŏf'*te*n, been,[1] ạ̊ gain',[2] dŏn̲'ke*y*̆, Ĉŏn̲'eŏrd, lĕḡ'ĭs lă tĭv*e*, wā*y* lā*i*d', yō*l*k, jŭst, ĕlm, pärt'nĕr, noun, pär'trĭdġ*e*, ourş, ĭn'fạ̊ mo*u*s, Phĭl'ĭ*p* pĭne*s*, bă*d*e, he*ī*g*h*t, sŭch, toŭch*e*d, dĭs'trĭet, seạ̊l'*l*ȯps, eän't, pŏl'ĭ tĭe, yĕt, Ē văn'ġē lĭn*e*, Hī ạ̊ wạ̊'thạ̊, Rŭs'sia.[3]

St. Lo*u*̣'ĭs, eätch, dȳ'nạ̊ mĭt*e*, ē quā'tiȯn, ḡō*a*l, eŏl'um*n*, pē'nal ĭz*e*, Mĭ*s* so*u*̣'rĭ, newş'pā pĕr, hŏs'tĭl*e*, hāb'ĭt, now, Ro*o*̄'şē vĕlt, ráth'ĕr, nȯth'ĭng, ä*u*nt, fĕl'*lō*w, wōn't, dĕs şĕrt', dĕş'ĕrt, rīş*e*, Çhĭ cạ̊'ḡō.

[1] bĭn. [2] ạ̊ gĕn'. [3] rŭsh'ạ̊.

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THIRD SPELLING CONTEST

advantage	pamphlet	centennial	materials
verdict	superb	camera	portrait
reference	morality	storage	vestibule
apostrophe	necessary	drapery	forlorn
fragile	dividend	alligator	altitude
frequent	bias	privations	poverty
manifest	loathe	victuals	weasel
imitate	contradict	execute	policy
willful	secretary	equip	introduce
skeleton	vision	acquaintance	grateful
resolution	visible	detached	equality
ruffian	serenade	cordially	siphon
regretted	antarctic	convene	evident
genuine	madonna	practical	remnant
sheriff	shrewd	apartment	chocolate
druggist	exhale	legend	milliner
terrace	system	restaurant	valor
amiable	coinage	amusement	chaos
analysis	shrivel	announcement	college

envelope advertise

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

121

ar'mor y		ghast'ly	
attire	valor	utmost	insure
victim	gross	defense	indulge

122

ar·riv'al		pe ti'tion	
sieve	ancestor	integer	coinage
atom	cartridge	ascribe	amiable

123

as cend'		me chan'ic	
assort	inspector	scour	chaos
appreciate	application	strangle	amusement

124

lo cal'i ty		in'flu ence	
snatch	aspect	student	suburb
astonishment	content	assemble	restaurant

125

scheme		as sist'ance	
analysis	college	Arabic	colony
announcement	approve	scholar	settlement

Supplementary Ex. 26: Dictation

If we fail, it can be no worse for us. But we shall not fail. The cause will raise up armies; the cause will create navies. The people, the people, if we are true to them, will carry us, and will carry themselves, gloriously through this struggle.

—WEBSTER.

126

stand'ard		at'mos phere	
arrival	petition	ascend	article
locality	approval	armory	mechanic

127

ca'pa ble		at tain'	
support	annul	floral	sickle
applaud	apologize	splendid	vegetable

128

aught		de clar'a tive	
annual	annex	ghastly	satin
surplus	entice	annoyance	savage

129

mea'sles		stead'i ly	
Russian	ample	anecdote	section
summit	fender	shepherd	civilize

130

doi'ly		pen'sion	
stomach	guilty	scheme	southern
affliction	adjacent	influence	interfere

Supplementary Ex. 27: Homonyms

due, dew	tied, tide	hall, haul	sell, cell
peel, peal	ought, aught	sight, site	choir, quire

Use all these words in sentences; for example: Isn't the train *due* soon? You *ought* to know. It may be in *sight*, for *aught* I know. Do you hear the bells *pealing*? Time and *tide* wait for no man.

131

com'merce — for'eign er

telegram	attain	standard	aught
telephone	assistance	declarative	atmosphere

132

com pact' — fric'tion

simplicity	foil	inscribe	insight
adaptation	abridge	acquittal	steward

133

pi'ous — com plex'

abolish	myrtle	capable	detest
steadily	cartilage	simplify	quotation

134

poise — com po si'tion

excess	treasure	picket	beseech
sensitive	independence	skirmish	terrible

135

wreath — con cede'

chaste	skillful	trifle	measles
trapper	challenge	trowel	sympathy

Supplementary Ex. 28: Dictation

A poor man, served by thee, shall make thee rich;
A sick man, helped by thee, shall make thee strong;
Thou shalt be served thyself by every sense
Of service which thou renderest.

— ELIZABETH BARRETT BROWNING.

136

tor na'do con'fi dence

doily	pension	pious	foreigner
compact	friction	complex	commerce

137

suite breth'ren

tutor	information	tidings	tennis
cherish	composition	coincide	garage

They engaged a *suite* of four rooms.

138

dai'ry ing cour'te sy

tassel	reliable	tailor	tower
tying	combine	precise	descend

139

change'a ble crit'ic

poise	immense	chastise	gleam
persistent	particular	battlement	tarnish

140

shriek cudg'el

gurgle	lusty	clutch	complaint
effort	colander	torment	comparison

Supplementary Ex. 29: Words to be Distinguished

lose	sit	presents	prove	accept	false
loose	set	presence	proof	except	faults

Use all these words in sentences; for example: Where did you *lose* it? This screw is *loose.* I can *prove* that he *accepted* those *presents.*

141

thresh'old main tain'

suite	concede	tornado	courtesy
wreath	conquest	unfortunate	confidence

142

ex treme'ly flex'i ble

tackle	tonic	brethren	tanned
compete	complicate	compliment	security

143

mes'sen ger out ra'geous

attendant	composite	dairying	utensil
volunteer	conclusion	compound	probably

144

ox'y gen pe cul'iar

vapor	verdant	visitor	recollect
vegetation	fertilizer	condense	valuable

145

cit'i zen re mod'el

compute	critic	consider	English
changeable	crouch	confession	England

Supplementary Ex. 30: Words and Word Groups

Always two words: all right
Always one word: almost, always, although

all ready to go	already gone
all together in one place	altogether too many

Use these words and word groups in sentences.

146

rep e ti'tion		cab'i net	
extremely	cudgel	threshold	maintain
shriek	flexible	messenger	outrageous

147

res'tive		sen sa'tion	
violin	creature	vanilla	peculiar
viol	description	conviction	contrast

148

re volve'		se'ries	
Swedish	royal	disgust	slovenly
Norwegian	fiery	loathsome	wealthy

The city must sell a new *series* of bonds.

149

ro bust'		ster'ling	
dictate	oxygen	weapon	dough
wholesale	ferment	dimension	wafer

150

sur vive'		suf fice'	
digit	rigid	motor	worship
Yankee	vaseline	squeak	penitent

Supplementary Ex. 31: Dictation

There are loyal hearts, there are spirits brave,
  There are souls that are pure and true;
Then give to the world the best you have
  And the best will come back to you.

—MADELINE BRIDGES.

151

wor'sted tor'ture

citizen	revolve	series	restive
sensation	remodel	repetition	cabinet

152

trai'tor tran'som

disgrace	robust	passage	youth
blamable	famine	referred	displace

153

wharf ab'stract

drain	extent	random	fickle
drawl	exchange	dwindle	abstain

154

thor'ough re lieve'

entrance	gourd	escort	impose
enjoyment	tomato	esteem	sterling

155

gran'ite mis spelled'

graduate	gulch	preferred	groove
exclamation	excusable	excessive	effect

The medicine had no *effect.*

156

bap'tism chis'el

traitor	suffice	wharf	torture
survive	transom	disinfect	abstract

157

di'a mond mis'chie vous

lease	orator	ledge	recede
impair	worsted	instruction	launch

158

cler'i cal col lapse'

gorge	hastily	relieve	haven
gender	thorough	urgent	exploration

159

e qua'tor tem'per a ture

locust	marvel	suddenly	medium
mushroom	meager	lukewarm	limitation

160

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arrival	petition	ascend	mechanic
locality	influence	scheme	assistance
standard	atmosphere	capable	attain
aught	declarative	measles	steadily
doily	pension	commerce	foreigner
compact	friction	pious	complex
poise	composition	wreath	concede
tornado	confidence	suite	brethren
dairying	courtesy	changeable	critic
shriek	cudgel	threshold	maintain

extremely	flexible	messenger	outrageous
oxygen	peculiar	citizen	remodel
repetition	cabinet	restive	sensation
revolve	series	robust	sterling
survive	suffice	worsted	torture
traitor	transom	wharf	abstract
thorough	relieve	granite	misspelled
baptism	chisel	diamond	mischievous
clerical	collapse	equator	temperature

armory ghastly

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

ANNUAL SPELLING CONTEST

ạ băn′dȯn	ạ mūṣe′ment	a*s* sĭst′ançe	brĕth′rĕn
ăb′străet[1]	ạ năl′y̆ sĭs	ăt′mos phēre	brĕv′ĭ tȳ
ăe′*c*ū rāte	a*n* nounçe′ment	a*t* tā*i*n′	brīb′ẽr y̆
a*c* quā*i*nt′ançe	ănt ăre′tĭe	au*gh*t	bur′ĭ al[1]
ad vȧn′tȧġe	ạ pärt′ment	băl′eȯ ny̆	eăb′ĭ nĕt
ăd′vẽr tīṣe	ạ pŏl′ȯ ġy̆	băp′tĭṣm	eăm′ẽr ạ
ăl′ĭ gā tŏr	ạ pŏs′trȯ phē	Bĕn′jạ mĭn	eăm′phŏr
ăl′tĭ tūde	är′mŏr y̆	bĕv′ẽr ȧġe	eăn′dĭ dāte
ạ̈l tọ ḡĕth′ẽr	a*r* rīv′al	bē wĭtch′ĭng	eăn′ȯ py̆
ā′mĭ ạ ble	a*s* çĕnd′	bī′as	eā′pạ ble

[1] noun and adjective; verb is accented on last syllable. [2] bĕr′ĭ al.

eăt'ạ răet
eau'tious
çĕn tĕn'nĭ al
chānġe'ạ ble
ehā'ŏs
chĭṣ'el
chŏe'ŏ lăte
çīr'euĭt
çĭt'ĭ zen
çĭv'ĭl
elăm'ŏr
elĕr'ĭ eal
eoin'ăġe
eol lăpse'
eŏl'lĕġe
eŏm'mẽrçe
eom păet'[1]
eŏm'plĕx
eŏm pŏ ṣĭ'tiŏn
eon çēal'
eon çēde'
eon çẽrn'
eŏn'fĭ dençe
eŏn'tăet
eŏn trạ dĭet'
eon vēne'
eôr'dial ly[2]
eôrpse
eoûr'tĕ sy
erĕv'ĭçe
erĭt'ĭe
erỹs'tal
eŭdġ'el
dähl'iạ
dāi'rỹ ĭng
dăm'ăġe
dĕ eāy'
dĕ elăr'ạ tĭve
dĕ fĭle'
dĕ lĭv'ẽr
dĕn'tĭst
dĕ pĕnd'ent
dĕ ṣīr'ous
dĕ tăched'
dĕ ṭĭ'ạ mond
dĭe'tiŏn ạ ry
dĭs ap pēar'
dĭs sŭt'ĭs fīed
dĭv'ĭ dĕnd
dĭ vĭṣ'ĭ ble
doi'lỹ
drā'pẽr ỹ
drought
drŭg'gĭst
ēa'ṣel
ĕd ū eā'tiŏn
ĕ lĕe'trĭe
fō'lĭ ăġe
fŏr'eĭgn ẽr
fŏr lôrn'
frăġ'ĭle
frē'quent[3]
frĭe'tiŏn
fûr'nĭ tŭre
ḡăl'lant
ḡăl'lẽr ỹ
ġĕn'ẽr ous
ġĕn'ŭ ĭne
ḡhăst'lỹ
eăt'ạ răet
eau'tious
çĕn tĕn'nĭ al
chānġe'ạ ble
ehā'ŏs
chĭṣ'el
chŏe'ŏ lăte
çīr'euĭt
çĭt'ĭ zen
çĭv'ĭl
elăm'ŏr
elĕr'ĭ eal
eoin'ăġe
eol lăpse'
eŏl'lĕġe
eŏm'mẽrçe
eom păet'[1]
eŏm'plĕx
eŏm pŏ ṣĭ'tiŏn
eon çēal'
eon çēde'
eon çẽrn'
eon dŭe'tŏr
dĭ'ạ mond
ĕx alt'

[1] adjective and verb, eom păet'; noun, eŏm'păet. [2] eôr'jal ỹ.
[3] adjective, frē'quent; verb, frē quĕnt'.

gīng′*h*am
gŏs′pel
grăn′ĭt*e*
grāt*e*′fụl
grăv′ĭ tȳ
här pōōn′
hē*ar*s*e*
hĕ*i*f′ēr
*h*ē*i*r′ĕss
hŏm′ĭ nȳ
hō′siēr ȳ [1]
hŭ măn′ĭ tȳ
ī dē′al
ĭd ĭ ŏt′ĭe
ĭm′ăġ*e*
ĭm ăġ′ĭn*e*
ĭm′ĭ tāt*e*
ĭn′dŏ lent
ĭn dôrs*e*′
ĭn′flụ ençe
ĭn′*n*ŏ çent
ĭn săn′ĭ tȳ
ĭn′tĭ măt*e* [2]
ĭn trŏ dūçe′
ĭn trụd*e*′
jĕ*al*′*o*us
jụ′bĭ lant
jŭdġ′ment
jụ′rĭst
*k*năck
*k*nŭck′l*e*
lăn′gua̤ġ*e*
lĕġ′end
lī′brȧ rȳ
lī′çens*e*
lō*a*th*e*
lŏ eăl′ĭ tȳ
loy′al tȳ
lŭnch′*e*on
mạ̣ dŏn′*n*ạ̣
mā*i*n tā*i*n′
mā′jŏr
mă*n*′ĭ fĕst
mạ̣ tē′rĭ alṣ
mē*a*′ṣle*s*
mė e*h*ăn′ĭe
mė rĭd′ĭ an
mĕs′*s*en ġēr
mĭ lĭ′tiạ̣
mĭl′*l*ĭ nēr
mĭr′ạ̣ ele
mĭs′chĭe v*o*us
mĭ*s*′siŏn
mĭs spĕll*e*d′
mŏd′ēr ȧt*e*
mŏn′ṻ ment
mŏ răl′ĭ tȳ
mŭs′eṻ lạ̣r
mṻ ṣĭ′cian
nă′tiŏn al
nĕç′e*s* sȧ rȳ
nē′grō*e*ṣ
nū′mēr *o*us
ob ṣērv*e*′
o*c* eā′ṣiŏn
ō′dŏr
ŏ pĭn′iŏn
ôr′dĭ nȧ rȳ
ŏ rĭġ′ĭ nal
out rā′ġ*eo*us
ŏx′ȳ ġen
pạ̣ lā′tial
păm′phlĕt
păr′ạ̣ grȧph
păr′a*l* lĕl
pā′tiençe [3]
pē*a*çe′ạ̣ bl*e*
pė eūl′iạ̣r
pĕn′siŏn
pė tĭ′tiŏn
pĭ′ġ*e*ŏn
pī′*o*us
poiṣ*e*
pŏl′ĭ çȳ
pōr′trȧ*i*t
pŏv′ēr tȳ
prăe′tĭ eal
prĭn′çĭ pal
prī vā′tiŏnṣ
prĭv′ĭ lĕġ*e*
prō′noun
pụl′*le*ȳ

[1] hō′zhēr ȳ. [2] adjective; verb is ĭn′tĭ māt*e*. [3] pā′shençe.

pŷr'ạ mĭd	sạ lī'vạ	splĕn'dŏr	thrĕsh'ōld
quĭn'ṣŷ	sär dīne'	squạb'*b*le	tŏr nā'dō
quō'rum	săt ĭs fă*e*'tŏ rŷ	stăm pēde'	tôr'tū̆re
rā'dĭ ant	se*h*ēme	stănd'ạrd	trā*i*'tŏr
rā'tiȯnṣ [1]	se*o*ûrġe	stā'tiȯn er ŷ	trăn'sȯm
rā'zŏr	sē'erė çŷ	stĕ*a*d'ĭ lŷ	trou'ṣẽrṣ
rė çē*ipt*'	sĕe'rė tặ rŷ	stẽr'lĭng	vāg̃*ue*
rĕf'ẽr ençe	sĕn sā'tiȯn	stōr'ặġe	vạ lī*se*'
rĕġ'ĭs tẽr	sĕr ė nāde'	stū'dĭ *o*us	văl'ŏr
rė ḡrĕt'*t*ed	sẽrġe	su*f* fīçe'	vẽr'dĭet
rė hẽ*a*rs'al	sē'r*i*ēṣ	suĭte	vĕs'tĭ būle
re*i*n'deer	shĕr'ĭff	sū pẽrb'	vĭ*ct*'*ua*lṣ
rė l*i*ēve'	shrewd [3]	sur vīve'	vĭṣ'ĭ ble
rĕm'nant	shr*i*ēk	sŷl'*l*ặ ble	vĭ'ṣiȯn
rē mŏd'ĕl	shrĭv'*e*l	sŷs'tĕm	wạltz
rĕp ė tĭ'tiȯn	s*i*ēġe	tăn'dem	wạr'*r*ant
rĕṣ ȯ lū'tiȯn	sĭn çēre'lŷ	tăp'ĕs trŷ	wē*a*'ṣel
rĕs'tau rant [2]	sī'phŏn	tē'dĭ *o*us	whạrf
rĕs'tĭve	skĕl'ė tȯn	tĕm'pẽr ặ tū̆re	wĭl*l*'fụl
rė vŏlve'	sō'cial	tĕn'ė ment	wọ*r*'stĕd
rȯ bŭst'	sŏl'em*n*	tĕr'*r*ặçe	*w*rē*a*th
rŭf'*f*ĭ an	spĕ'cial	thȯr'ȯ*ugh*	yạ*ch*t

NOTE. — Review in oral contest the annual contests of Sections II and III; also words misspelled during the year.

[1] In military usage pronounced rā'tiȯnṣ. [2] rĕs'tŏ rant. [3] shrōōd.

SECTION V

1

fur'nace		gas'e ous	
tact	haggard	gargle	adapt
sculptor	bacteria	canker	apparatus

The apartment is heated with a *furnace.* The miners were overcome by the *gaseous* odors.

2

gen'ius		per se vere'	
divisible	assume	varnish	materials
cablegram	ignorance	embalm	munitions

3

glo'ri ous		in tel'li gent	
detached	vanity	insolent	valet
bankrupt	gracious	applicant	servitude

4

irk'some		peas'ant	
regretted	rabid	negroes	pasture
disappear	panic	severity	temperance

5

junc'tion		com'pe tent	
pigeon	odor	deceitful	myth
partridge	restaurant	scandalous	immoral

6[1]

rec'og nize		cir'cu lar	
furnace	gaseous	genius	joist
glorious	intelligent	irksome	persevere

7

tan'ta lize		trag'e dy	
clothier	stencil	impede	tandem
brethren	menace	objection	pathetic

8

ver'ti cal		par'a ble	
peasant	biology	dismal	viper
banishment	operation	destination	flounder

9

par'a lyze		sar'casm	
omen	violent	wharf	judicial
vision	definition	cruise	beneficial

10

Cath'o lic		a'pi a ry	
thwart	crucible	nitrate	desirable
handicap	masticate	nourishment	evaporate

Supplementary Ex. 1: s **and** es **to form Plurals**; y (**preceded by a consonant**) **to** ies

widow	widows	penny	pennies
couch	couches	gypsy	gypsies
headdress	headdresses	journey	journeys

Teacher and pupils may add other words to this list.

[1] **Lessons numbered in this manner are to be given Mondays.**

11

com pul'so ry — plen'ti ful

junction	tragedy	vertical	parable
tantalize	competent	recognize	circular

12

ab o li'tion — bach'e lor

terrify	charitable	rumor	articulate
paralyze	climax	sheathe	perfection

13

cal'en dar — no'tice a ble

torrent	jungle	cession	abate
contagion	location	territory	corruption

14

eaves'drop per — fer til'i ty

interest	amaze	chaos	redeem
encourage	capacity	selvage	temptation

15

gal'lows — per sua'sion

sarcasm	maxim	popular	flippant
merriment	ministry	beverage	contortion

Supplementary Ex. 2: f or fe to ves to form Plurals. Irregular Forms

calf	calves	louse	lice
thief	thieves	tooth	teeth
knife	knives	child	children

Teachers and pupils may add other words to this list.

16

il lit'er ate — en er get'ic

hearse	apiary	calendar	dandruff
abolition	bachelor	compulsory	plentiful

17

lin'e ar — ma'ni ac

accomplice	conduit	lavatory	neuter
eavesdropper	migrate	noticeable	phonograph

18

neg'a tive — dis rep'u ta ble

garland	obnoxious	variation	Catholic
paradise	investigate	meditate	Protestant

19

sim'i lar — quar tet'

Latin	profitable	recuperate	affection
German	profligate	resurrection	feminine

20

pro por'tion — ma hog'a ny

drought	sublime	density	omission
fertility	vocabulary	centralize	persuasion

Supplementary Ex. 3: Dictation

Heaven doth with us as we with torches do,
Not light them for themselves; for if our virtues
Did not go forth of us, 'twere all alike
As if we had them not. — SHAKESPEARE.

21

tab'leau		u'su ry	
linear	maniac	negative	gallows
disreputable	absolute	illiterate	energetic

22

vac'u um		vi'cious	
instinct	legion	faction	belief
compulsion	summary	derive	generous

23

ze'nith		a bun'dant	
enrollment	similar	concise	lavender
acquirement	anatomy	torpedo	hosiery

24

ser'geant		cal'lous	
cease	reduce	proportion	senate
reform	glutton	corrugated	liberty

25

dea'con		e clipse'	
visible	soprano	tenor	indorse
mahogany	chorister	quartet	concave

Supplementary Ex. 4: 's, or ' alone, in forming Possessives

The possessive is formed by adding the apostrophe and *s*, except that the apostrophe alone is added to a plural ending with *s*.

baby's	babies'	Brooks's Readers
child's	children's	Quakers' meeting

Teachers and pupils may add other words to this list.

26

ac cede′		ag′gra vate	
cede	usury	zenith	rations
vacuum	vicious	tableau	abundant

27

cou ra′geous		il lus′trate	
callous	budget	restrain	tepid
parboil	estimate	sergeant	emetic

28

joc′u lar		ex haust′	
verbena	refresh	knack	scruple
provision	ventilate	parquet	require

29

mar′riage		neu′tral	
livid	mica	fossil	ability
lucid	tinge	docile	resolute

30

ob′sti nate		pa ren′the sis	
angular	refuge	parse	invoice
adhesive	seclusion	grammatical	respond

Supplementary Ex. 5: Dictation

1. The foundation of every state is the education of its youth. — DIONYSIUS.

2. If we prefer to meet danger with a light heart but without laborious training, and with a courage which is gained by habit and not enforced by law, are we not greatly the gainers? — PERICLES.

31

qui'nine re bel'lion

deacon	eclipse	accede	exhaust
courageous	illustrate	jocular	variable

32

salm'on pho'to graph

marriage	foreman	resemble	vibrate
admonish	landscape	valentine	aggravate

33

ad mis'si ble whole'some

concern	allay	levy	reign
dynamic	extract	squabble	resign

34

be hav'ior bay'o net

wretch	truant	spherical	lurid
neutral	timidity	semblance	grimace

35

cam paign' de bate'

donor	duel	disfigure	serge
according	vigilant	creditor	worsted

Supplementary Ex. 6: ie or ei?

piece	ceiling	niece	weigh
frieze	perceive	receipt	neighbor

If *e* and *i* sound like ē, write *e-i* after *c*; after others write *i-e*. But either, neither, leisure, seize, weird, and weirs, — *e-i* in these.

36

in quis'i tive		fed'er al	
rebellion	gist	quinine	salmon
wholesome	parenthesis	admissible	obstinate

37

gauge		her'o ine	
bayonet	photograph	morbid	wholly
behavior	serviceable	miserable	misled

38

im ag'i na ry		sep'a ra ble	
ratio	hyena	pose	pepsin
representative	tomahawk	permanent	parish

39

lat'i tude		mar'tyr	
momentary	adage	violate	exploit
commencement	excavation	appeal	payable

Supplementary Ex. 7: ci, si, **and** ti **Pronounced** sh

musician	tension	destruction
physician	excursion	deprivation
electrician	transgression	reconstruction

Teachers and pupils may add to this list.

Supplementary Ex. 8: Dictation

I sometimes hold it half a sin
To put in words the grief I feel;
For words, like nature, half reveal
And half conceal the soul within. — TENNYSON.

40

FIRST SPELLING CONTEST

persevere	genius	glorious	intelligent
irksome	peasant	junction	competent
recognize	circular	tantalize	tragedy
vertical	parable	paralyze	sarcasm
Catholic	apiary	compulsory	plentiful
abolition	bachelor	calendar	noticeable
eavesdropper	fertility	gallows	persuasion
illiterate	energetic	linear	maniac
negative	similar	proportion	quartet
disreputable	tableau	mahogany	usury
vacuum	vicious	zenith	abundant
sergeant	callous	deacon	eclipse
aggravate	accede	courageous	illustrate
jocular	exhaust	marriage	neutral
obstinate	salmon	quinine	photograph
parenthesis	rebellion	admissible	wholesome
behavior	bayonet	campaign	debate
inquisitive	federal	gauge	heroine
imaginary	separable	latitude	martyr

furnace gaseous

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41

ge'ni al — rec om mend'

hence	reveal	vexation	federal
resolution	resume	inquisitive	continually

42

san'i ta ry — tar'iff

piety	traffic	aquatic	debate
revenge	shuffle	campaign	constant

43

def'i nite — a cad'e my

novice	arson	corrode	gauge
occupation	pirate	treasury	separable

44

re it'er ate — car bon'ic

planet	rotate	pilgrim	heroine
science	imaginary	transfer	ancestry

Science is organized knowledge. — HERBERT SPENCER.

45

de coy' — con fec'tion er y

placid	social	access	durable
rugged	martyr	latitude	slothful

Supplementary Ex. 9: in **and** un **mean** "**not**"

incorrect	indisposed	unswept	unsought
indifferent	indivisible	unexcelled	undecided

Add other words to this list.

46

in ju'ri ous gey'ser

sanitary	tariff	genial	academy
advertisement	carbonic	definite	recommend

47

sen'ti nel im par'tial

petal	sojourn	trellis	college
dahlia	conductor	trespass	rummage

48

ju've nile laun'dry

sordid	cudgel	quinsy	plural
reiterate	design	thorax	assumption

49

mas quer ade' nui'sance

custom	tumult	audit	conceal
pamphlet	pollute	triumph	gossamer

50

an te ced'ent a gil'i ty

razor	client	survive	aware
opinion	position	impanel	consul

Supplementary Ex. 10: er **and** or **mean** "**one who**"

debater	visitor	invader	creator
adviser	assessor	lecturer	instructor
composer	operator	bookseller	inspector

Add other words to this list.

51

re cruit′ mis′tle toe

decoy	impartial	juvenile	geyser
hiccup	confectionery	injurious	laundry

52

tel′e graph ve loc′i ty

postpone	indentation	gratify	siege
sentinel	masquerade	forbade	nuisance

53

a chieve′ be siege′

procure	shriek	presume	mortise
resolve	suction	previous	gingham

54

cas′u al de fi′ant

purge	supple	sulphur	prospect
prolong	supplant	regulate	punctual

55

el′e gant fi nance′

surname	license	swerve	ovation
surrender	Benjamin	supposition	overseer

Supplementary Ex. 11: mis **means "wrong"**; re, **"again" or "back"**

misrule	reëlect	misuse	return
misfortune	reapply	misspell	reclaim
misinformed	rebuild	misbehave	reaction

Add other words to this list.

56

gla'cier hick'o ry

besiege velocity mistletoe recruit
telegraph changeable antecedent achieve

57

in ca'pa ble lei'sure

origin advocate Orient accrue
ornament organism organization defiant

58

mas'sa cre o paque'

abandon cadet borne casual
dependent pacific apology formula

59

pen'du lum ref er ee'

accurate deface adoption agility
inclination bewitching commandment certificate

60

sched'ule tex'ture

alluring sect congestion concession
advantage contend messenger apostrophe

Supplementary Ex. 12: dis **means** "**not**"; ful, "**full of**"

disagree	cupful	disobey	painful
disunion	doubtful	displease	heedful
disinfect	willful	disappoint	skillful

Add other words to this list.

61

con ceit' ac knowl'edge

elegant	leisure	glacier	opaque
incapable	finance	massacre	hickory

62

bil'ious ca tarrh'

analysis	estate	patent	convey
analyze	pendulum	crumple	amiable

63

del'e gate el'o quent

antarctic	dropsy	dissent	syllable
amusement	disclose	dissatisfied	apartment

64

for'age gor'geous

abhor	enable	elevator	domain
announcement	referee	alligator	advertise

65

con'science in cense'

arrival	exceed	focus	armory
acquaintance	essence	altitude	indolent

Supplementary Ex. 13: Dictation

1. Labor to keep alive in your breast that little spark of celestial fire called conscience. — WASHINGTON.

2. Little were a change of station, loss of life or crown,
But the wreck were past retrieving if the Man fell down.
— LOWELL.

66

le′ni ent — mem o ran′dum

eloquent	texture	delegate	bilious
acknowledge	catarrh	convince	schedule

67

op por tu′ni ty — pen in′su la

community	gaunt	forage	conceit
atmosphere	frugal	expound	conceive

68

reg′i ment — hid′e ous

relieve	hoard	aught	gradual
explanation	jobber	ignoble	empire

69

the′a ter — vi cin′i ty

heiress	indent	imitate	attain
assistance	lattice	ascending	edition

70

ad′e quate — block ade′

burial	marine	liberal	pigment
athlete	intrust	abstract	gorgeous

Supplementary Ex. 14: per **means** "**through**"; pre, "**before**"; pro, "**forth**"

proceed	prepaid	preamble	pervade
preparation	perceive	procession	pervious

Add other words to this list.

71

ad'mi ra ble de li'cious

hideous	incense	conscience	lenient
opportunity	peninsula	memorandum	regiment

72

me nag'er ie ca mou flage'

brevity	nasal	modify	lunar
vicinity	membrane	balcony	bribery

73

gov'ern ment ho ri'zon

theater	odious	bias	poverty
summon	passion	intrude	numeral

74

in cen'tive e lab'o rate

basis	canopy	influence	camphor
reliance	portray	suppress	cautious

The *basis* of good manners is self-*reliance.* — EMERSON.

75

mi'cro scope or'ches tra

crystal	intention	corpse	pretext
crevice	maintain	recover	willful

Supplementary Ex. 15: anti **means "against"**; ante, **"before"**

antedate	antisocial	anteroom	anticlimax
antecedent	antitoxin	antechamber	antislavery

Add other words to this list.

76

per'jure re li'gion

adequate	blockade	admirable	horizon
menagerie	camouflage	government	delicious

77

sculp'ture as sign'

cataract	secede	salute	elaborate
computation	incentive	contact	candidate

78

con ven'ience di vine'

coinage	submit	robust	divinity
professor	solvent	stately	contradict

79

bois'ter ous cem'e ter y

cordially	surmise	transmit	camera
sympathize	pension	centennial	citizen

Supplementary Ex. 16: Biblical Names

Galilee	Damascus	Isaac	Canaan
Jerusalem	Euphrates	Gethsemane	Ezekiel
Solomon	Israel	Bethlehem	Esther

Supplementary Ex. 17: Abbreviated Spellings

though	tho	catalogue	catalog
through	thru	pedagogue	pedagog
thorough	thoro	demagogue	demagog
throughout	thruout	dialogue	dialog

80

SECOND SPELLING CONTEST

sanitary	tariff	definite	academy
reiterate	carbonic	confectionery	decoy
injurious	geyser	sentinel	impartial
juvenile	laundry	masquerade	nuisance
antecedent	agility	mistletoe	recruit
telegraph	velocity	achieve	besiege
casual	defiant	elegant	finance
glacier	hickory	incapable	leisure
massacre	opaque	pendulum	referee
schedule	texture	acknowledge	conceit
bilious	catarrh	delegate	eloquent
forage	gorgeous	conscience	incense
lenient	hideous	opportunity	peninsula
regiment	theater	memorandum	vicinity
adequate	blockade	admirable	delicious
menagerie	incentive	government	horizon
camouflage	elaborate	microscope	orchestra
perjure	religion	sculpture	assign
convenience	divine	boisterous	cemetery

genial recommend

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81

fra ter'nal — as pir'ant

agitate	solemn	addicted	veneer
imagination	ambitious	orchestra	almshouse

82

trea'son — in clo'sure

antelope	appease	readily	religion
chocolate	convene	perjure	emulate

83

ob'sta cle — mile'age

courtesy	artifice	compact	divine
composition	assign	sculpture	confidence

84

par'ti ci ple — ab hor'rence

chisel	biped	preceding	commerce
clerical	govern	proceedings	plunder

85

re mem'brance — se mes'ter

microscope	despot	arouse	critic
convenience	cemetery	collapse	boisterous

Supplementary Ex. 18: Dictation

No life
Can be pure in its purpose and strong in its strife,
And all life not be purer and stronger thereby.

— Owen Meredith.

86

tol'er ate		treach'er ous	
abhorrence	obstacle	mileage	inclosure
international	treason	fraternal	aspirant

87

cur'ren cy		coun'sel	
dentist	opera	concede	damage
complex	commotion	altogether	chaplain

On the advice of his *counsel*, the witness refused to answer. Do you *counsel* me to refuse?

88

de ni'al		en am'el	
applause	defile	participle	decay
correspondence	traitor	necessary	condole

89

friv'o lous		gran'deur	
desirous	discuss	difficulty	piazza
discourage	dynamo	dictionary	deliver

90

in dig'nant		lit'er a ture	
doily	elude	druggist	edify
dividend	endure	declarative	drapery

Supplementary Ex. 19: Word Building

frolic	frolicsome	frolicked	frolicking
traffic	trafficking	trafficked	trafficker
picnic	picnicking	picnicked	picnicker

91

mil lion aire′		mel′an chol y	
privilege	counsel	denial	enamel
remembrance	semester	tolerate	treacherous

92

ap pear′ance		re pub′lic	
civil	downy	exhort	easel
sincerely	grandeur	diamond	distill

93

sem′i co lon		fa tigue′	
extort	furious	forecast	exalt
dragon	enliven	emphasis	electric

94

al′ge bra		coun′cil	
equip	confirm	entitle	genteel
exhale	currency	frivolous	execute

95

sen′ti ment		en core′	
envelope	impure	evident	ignore
equality	industry	disposal	extremely

Supplementary Ex. 20: Words to be Distinguished

council	advise	specie	lightning	devise
counsel	advice	species	lightening	device

Use all these words in sentences; for example: The *council* met early and *advised* the governor to demand payment in *specie*. The explorer has found a new *species* of deer.

96

dis con'so late gui tar'

appearance	republic	semicolon	capable
melancholy	indignant	millionaire	literature

97

in di vid'u al lon'gi tude

fatigue	kidney	devotion	irate
fanciful	equator	internal	fathom

98

sa'vor y phy si'cian

fiend	luxury	relative	textile
fertile	algebra	relation	festival

99

res ig na'tion sig'na ture

fragile	obedient	convention	oppose
frequent	navigation	furniture	foliage

100

trans act' or'chid

predicate	council	placard	forlorn
complement	perplex	granite	flexible

Supplementary Ex. 21: Words to be Distinguished

marshal	mustard	capital	bridal	compliment
martial	mustered	Capitol	bridle	complement

Use all these words in sentences; for example: The *marshal mustered* the paraders in front of the *Capitol.* They presented a *martial* appearance.

101

cham'pi on		de part'ment	
individual	guitar	longitude	savory
sentiment	encore	disconsolate	physician

102

e nor'mi ty		func'tion	
gallant	prior	circuit	quibble
foreigner	propose	resignation	friction

103

in ser'tion		pre'cious	
gavel	rigor	gallery	gravity
vestibule	notary	humanity	interior

104

mo nop'o ly		pi'ra cy	
terrace	sedate	respectable	satire
genuine	signify	consideration	grateful

105

cov'e nant		skep'tic	
ghastly	survey	stationery	policy
misspelled	subsist	congratulations	signature

Supplementary Ex. 22: Dictation

1. There is nothing more precious than time, and nothing more prodigally wasted.

2. Harmony and liberal intercourse with all nations are recommended by policy, humanity, and interest.

— WASHINGTON.

106

mer'can tile		com pet'i tor	
transact	orchid	indicate	precious
enormity	function	champion	department

107

clem'en cy		dep'u ty	
hominy	utilize	verify	monopoly
harpoon	traverse	piracy	prohibition

108

en thu'si asm		in fe'ri or	
ideal	absorption	tractor	idiotic
image	admiration	agriculture	judgment

109

ad ven'ture		mus tache'	
insanity	majority	impress	insertion
intimate	arbitrate	assembly	amputate

110

prej'u dice		ri'val ry	
jovial	battery	gospel	augment
introduce	energy	mischievous	imagine

Supplementary Ex. 23: Words to be Distinguished

effect	patients	assistants	gamble	formerly
affect	patience	assistance	gambol	formally

Use all these words in sentences; for example: This invention will *affect* many industries. It may *effect* the ruin of a few. It will have a good *effect* on commerce.

111

par ti'tion — tu i'tion

covenant	deputy	mercantile	skeptic
clemency	competitor	enthusiasm	inferior

112

an'arch y — sub ma rine'

jurist	Christian	jubilant	jealous
Japanese	coincidence	competition	cavalry

113

di'a logue — ep i dem'ic

luncheon	creator	knuckle	loyalty
mustache	corpulent	customary	connection

114

neg'li gence — ly ce'um

loathe	dignity	language	library
scheme	deliberate	disturbance	deception

115

bril'liant — proph'e sy

locality	emblem	mechanic	legend
machinery	equatorial	adventure	eulogize

Supplementary Ex. 24: Words to be Distinguished

principal	lie	difference	currant	baron
principle	lay	deference	current	barren

Use all these words in sentences; for example: What is the *principal difference* between these men? One acts according to his *principles*; the other is too much affected by *current* events and by the *currents* of public opinion.

116

rhythm spin'ach

anarchy	rivalry	dialogue	tuition
prejudice	submarine	partition	epidemic

117

tyr'an ny par'lia ment

expansion	fissure	major	militia
monument	fabulous	fortification	miracle

118

colo'nel ep'i taph

meridian	negligence	shrivel	baptism
muscular	hospitality	mission	moderate

119

prec'i pice mys'ter y

morality	milliner	musician	lyceum
occasion	inference	instigation	madonna

Supplementary Ex. 25: y **in Unaccented Syllables Pronounced** ĭ, **or** ī

van'i tȳ	a troc'i tȳ	oc'cu pȳ	rat'i fȳ
sȳs tem at'ic	no to ri'e tȳ	mul'ti plȳ	mag'ni fȳ

Supplementary Ex. 26: Dictation

New occasions teach new duties;
Time makes ancient good uncouth;
They must upward still, and onward,
Who would keep abreast of truth.

— LOWELL.

120

THIRD SPELLING CONTEST

remembrance	inclosure	treason	mileage
participle	abhorrence	semester	obstacle
treacherous	tolerate	currency	counsel
denial	enamel	frivolous	grandeur
melancholy	literature	millionaire	indignant
appearance	republic	semicolon	fatigue
algebra	council	sentiment	encore
disconsolate	guitar	individual	longitude
savory	physician	resignation	signature
transact	orchid	champion	department
enormity	function	insertion	precious
monopoly	piracy	covenant	skeptic
mercantile	deputy	clemency	competitor
enthusiasm	inferior	adventure	mustache
prejudice	rivalry	partition	tuition
submarine	anarchy	dialogue	epidemic
negligence	lyceum	brilliant	prophesy
rhythm	spinach	tyranny	parliament
colonel	epitaph	precipice	mystery

fraternal aspirant

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121

tro'phy at tor'ney

especially	literal	prophesy	irritate
brilliant	measles	prophecy	legitimate

He *prophesies* good weather. Do you believe his *prophecy* ?

122

com mit'tee des'ti tute

odorous	tyranny	manifest	rhythm
national	decompose	numerous	prosecute

123

ap par'el pro fi'cient

steadily	colonel	observe	epitaph
ordinary	parliament	penetrate	original

124

strat'e gy an ni ver'sa ry

paragraph	thorough	oxygen	spinach
outrageous	exhibition	privations	mystery

125

et'i quette ar'bi tra ry

pulley	consumption	palatial	principal
precipice	scavenger	clamor	reduction

Supplementary Ex. 27: Drill in Pronunciation

Dăn'ĭsh, bē yŏnd', ĕx'trȧ, aus'pĭ çĕs, fȧ çäde', ī'sō lāte, frŭs'tum, rē çĕss', dē büt', bŏn'nĕt, mĭs'chĭe vous, lăr'ĭnx, phăr'ĭnx, drowned, rē çēipt', prĕf'ĕr ȧ ble, rĕç'ĭ pē, frŏn'tiēr, zō ŏl'ō ġy, prĕç'ē dent, nŏz'zle, vŏl eăn'ĭe, creek, wŏn'dĕr, wạn'dĕr, Çĭn çĭn nat'ĭ, sŭb'tle, tē lĕg'rȧ phĕr, Lōs Ăn'ĕl ĕs.

126

crit'i cize		can cel la'tion	
trophy	attorney	destitute	strategy
innocent	proficient	anniversary	committed

127

a'ër o plane		a'vi a tor	
pronoun	tribune	vigilance	patience
pyramid	vagrant	partiality	education

128

a non'y mous		bar'ba rism	
portrait	parallel	practical	wizard
gratitude	abutment	temperature	peaceable

129

in sur'ance		drain'age	
buoy	assessor	archipelago	pliant
yacht	peculiar	circumstances	petition

130

e van'gel ist		al'ien	
poise	apparel	transportation	pious
quorum	ceremony	communication	bequeath

Supplementary Ex. 28: Dictation

1. Every right action and true thought sets the seal of its beauty on person and face. —Ruskin.

2. People who have not made friends with the birds do not know how much they miss. Especially to one living in the country, of strong local attachments and an observing turn of mind, does an acquaintance with the birds form a close and invaluable tie. — Burroughs.

131

per pen dic'u lar sym'me try

aviator	aëroplane	anonymous	cancellation
etiquette	arbitrary	criticize	barbarism

132

syn'o nym re sourc'es

receipt	constancy	drainage	comely
insurance	composure	dairying	remodel

133

slaugh'ter cyl'in der

radiant	daffodil	heifer	reindeer
register	crocodile	derivation	rehearsal

134

anx i'e ty des'per ate

ruffian	disperse	divorce	axiom
reference	director	satisfactory	sediment

135

ac com'mo date char'ac ter

restive	erosion	alloy	siphon
repetition	experience	remnant	mercury

Supplementary Ex. 29: Long u Grouping

dū'bi ous	tū'bu lar	nū'tri ment
il lū'sive	com mūte'	sū per vi'sion
sū per sede'	sū per flu'i ty	sū per an'nu ate
sū per sti'tion	sū per struc'ture	sū per in tend'ent

Add other words to this list.

136

pro ce'dure		chem'i cal	
synonym	alien	slaughter	cylinder
evangelist	surge	perpendicular	symmetry

137

con'fer ence		tes'ta ment	
desperate	anxiety	gondola	canvass
hemlock	garrison	fragmentary	election

138

nau'se ate		laud'a ble	
saliva	sterling	habitation	hesitate
splendor	hydrant	impediment	treasurer

139

al lies'		com pan'ion	
special	revolve	intricate	sardine
session	infinitive	stampede	indemnity

140

sus pi'cious		ac count'ant	
skeleton	colonies	scourge	secrecy
studious	resources	locomotive	Jehovah

Supplementary Ex. 30: Homonyms

plain, plane	hail, hale	serge, surge
canvas, canvass	cession, session	bolder, bowlder

Use all these words in sentences; for example: A biplane has two *planes*. The *canvass* shows that the bill can be passed at this *session* of Congress. What a *hale* old man he is! The crowd *surged* into the room.

141

in her'it ance		bal'us ter	
allies	usage	nauseate	laudable
alliance	accommodate	conference	chemical

142

chiv'al ry		con'scious	
shrewd	miraculous	sheriff	serenade
character	mechanism	mutilate	management

143

em'bas sy		lieu ten'ant	
superb	giblets	secretary	storage
standard	oculist	procedure	nominate

144

con demn'		he'li o trope	
series	cabinet	testament	phantom
suffice	political	preposition	situation

145

jug'gler y		an'guish	
sensation	pioneer	suite	profanity
pulverize	companion	scrofula	responsible

Supplementary Ex. 31: Dictation

I wandered lonely as a cloud
  That floats on high o'er vales and hills,
When all at once I saw a crowd,
  A host, of golden daffodils,
Beside the lake, beneath the trees,
Fluttering and dancing in the breeze.

—WORDSWORTH.

146

max'i mum — de vel'op

chivalry	accountant	embassy	lieutenant
suspicious	conscious	recreation	baluster

147

vogue — tes'ti mo ny

trivial	sobriety	triangle	tapestry
condemn	stability	subjective	inventor

148

de spair' — woe'ful

tornado	allurement	politics	likewise
trousers	inheritance	tedious	superior

149

ve'hi cle — wield

transom	zodiac	conduce	threshold
heliotrope	vindicate	abdominal	valuation

150

ad he'sion — a bom'i na ble

valor	obligation	torture	impatient
tenement	admonition	albumen	sacrifice

Supplementary Ex. 32: Dictation

The tumult and the shouting dies;
The captains and the kings depart;
Still stands thine ancient sacrifice,
An humble and a contrite heart.
Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet,
Lest we forget — lest we forget! — KIPLING.

151

debt'or com mer'cial

anguish	jugglery	develop	maximum
testimony	mathematics	system	industrial

152

blas pheme' syn'di cate

vogue	headquarters	valise	verdict
intrusion	inauguration	aptitude	apprentice

153

chrys'a lis ex ist'ence

vehicle	despair	export	vague
victuals	establishment	brocade	bacillus

154

con gen'ial suf fi'cient

waltz	weasel	coerce	woeful
decrease	ensilage	warrant	chandelier

155

pres'sure e con'o my

wreath	despise	account	wield
wreathe	consequence	distribute	congress

156

Fil i pi'no a pos'tle

adhesion	syndicate	phase	debtor
blaspheme	abominable	chrysalis	commercial

157

sep'ul cher		in trep'id	
amnesty	commodious	affiliate	tactics
neutrality	circumference	antipathy	alternate

158

an tique'		chron'i cle	
ascension	combination	apathy	arsenic
artesian	aristocratic	assassin	appendix

159

su per'flu ous		u nan'i mous	
authorize	appliance	atheist	auction
explosive	automobile	existence	rational

160

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committee	destitute	apparel	proficient
strategy	anniversary	etiquette	arbitrary
criticize	cancellation	aëroplane	aviator
anonymous	barbarism	insurance	drainage
evangelist	perpendicular	alien	symmetry
synonym	resources	slaughter	cylinder
anxiety	accommodate	desperate	character
procedure	chemical	conference	testament
nauseate	laudable	allies	companion
suspicious	inheritance	accountant	baluster

chivalry	conscious	embassy	lieutenant
condemn	heliotrope	jugglery	anguish
maximum	develop	vogue	testimony
despair	woeful	vehicle	wield
adhesion	abominable	commercial	debtor
blaspheme	syndicate	chrysalis	existence
congenial	sufficient	pressure	economy
Filipino	apostle	sepulcher	intrepid
antique	chronicle	superfluous	unanimous
	trophy	attorney	

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

ANNUAL SPELLING CONTEST

ăb hŏr′*r*ençe	ăd hē′ṣiŏn	ăn̲′ḡuĭsh	ăs pīr′ant
ăb ŏ lĭ′tiŏn	ăd′mĭ rặ ble	ăn *n*ĭ vẽr′sặ rỹ	a*s* sī*g*n′
ặ bŏm′ĭ nặ ble	ăd mĭs′*s*ĭ ble	ặ nŏn′ỹ m*o*us	a*t* tŏr′ne*y*
ặ bŭn′dant	ăd vĕn′tu̇re	ăn tė çēd′ent	ā′vĭ ā tŏr
ặ eăd′ė mỹ	ā′ẽr ŏ plāne	ăn tīq*ue*′	băch′ė lŏr
ăe çēde′	ăḡ′*g*rặ vāte	ăn̲x ī′ė tỹ [1]	băl′us tẽr
a*c* eŏm′*m*ŏ dāte	ặ ġĭl′ĭ tỹ	ā′pĭ ặ rỹ	bär′bặ rĭṣm
a*c* eount′ant	ăl′ġė brặ	ặ pŏs′*t*le	bā*y*′ŏ nĕt
ặ ch*i*ēve′	āl′ien	a*p* păr′el	bė hāv′iŏr
ăe *k*nŏ*w*l′ĕdġe	a*l* lī*e*ṣ′	a*p* pē*a*r′ançe	bė s*i*ēġe′
ăd′ė quặte	ăn′ặre*h* ỹ	är′bĭ trặ rỹ	bĭl′i*o*us

[1] ăng zĭ′ė tỹ.

blȧs phēm*e*′ | *eom* mĭt′*tee* | dė̇ fī′ant | en ė̇r*e*′ [6]
blŏck ād*e*′ | eom păn′iȯn | dĕf′ĭ nĭt*e* | ĕn ẽr ġĕt′ĭe
bois′tẽr *o*us | eŏm′pė̇ tent | dĕl′ė̇ ḡȧt*e* | ė̇ nôr′mĭ tỵ
brĭl′*l*iant | eom pĕt′ĭ tŏr | dė̇ lĭ′ci*o*us | ĕn thū′ṣĭ ăṣm
eăl′en dạr | eom pŭl′sȯ rỵ | dė̇ nī′al | ĕp ĭ dĕm′ĭe
eăl′*lo*us | eon çē*it*′ | dė̇ pärt′ment | ĕp′ĭ tȧph
eȧ m*ou* fläge′ [1] | eon dĕm*n*′ | dĕp′ṵ tỵ | ĕt′ĭ q*u*ĕtt*e*
eăm pā*ign*′ | eon fĕe′tiȯn ĕr ỵ | dė̇ spâ*ir*′ | ė̇ văn′ġel ĭst
eăn çe*l* lā′tiȯn | eŏn′fẽr ençe | dĕs′pẽr ȧt*e* | ĕx *h*aust′
eär bŏn′ĭe | eon ġēn′ial | dĕs′tĭ tūt*e* | ĕx ĭst′ençe
eăs′ṵ al [2] | eŏn′sciençe [4] | dė̇ vĕl′op | fạ̇ tĭ*gue*′
eạ̇ tär*rh*′ | eŏn′scious [5] | dī′ạ̇ lŏ*gue* | fĕd′ẽr al
Eăth′ȯ lĭe | eon vēn′iençe | dĭs eŏn′sȯ lȧt*e* | fẽr tĭl′ĭ tỵ
çĕm′ė̇ tĕr ỵ | eoun′çĭl | dĭs rĕp′ṵ tạ̇ bl*e* | Fĭl ĭ pī′nō
chăm′pĭ ȯn | eoun′sel | dĭ vīn*e*′ | fĭ năn*ç*e′
*eh*ăr′ae tẽr | *eo*u rā′ġ*eo*us | drā*i*n′ȧġe | fŏr′ȧġe
*eh*ĕm′ĭ eal | eȯv′ė̇ nant | ē*ave*ṣ′drŏp *p*ẽr | frạ̇ tẽr′nal
çhĭv′al rỵ | erĭt′ĭ çīz*e* | ė̇ elĭps*e*′ | frĭv′ȯ l*o*us
*eh*rŏn′ĭ el*e* | eŭr′*r*en çỵ | ė̇ eŏn′ȯ mỵ | fŭ*n*e′tiȯn
*eh*rỵs′ạ̇ lĭs | çỵl′ĭn dẽr | ė̇ lăb′ȯ rȧt*e* | fûr′nȧç*e*
çĭr′eṵ lạr | dē*a*′*eo*n | ĕl′ė̇ ḡant | ḡăl′*lō*w*s* | ḡăs′ė̇ *o*us
elĕm′en çỵ | dė̇ bāt*e*′ | ĕl′ȯ quent | ḡăs′ė̇ *o*us | ḡā*ug*e
eolo′nel [3] | dĕ*b*t′ŏr | ĕm′bạ̇*s* sỵ | ḡā*ug*e
eom mẽr′cial | dė̇ eoy′ | ĕn ăm′el | ġē′nĭ al

[1] kȧ mōō flȧzh′. [2] kȧzh′ṵ al. [3] kûr′nel. [4] kŏn′shençe. [5] kŏn′shus. [6] ăng kŏr′.

ġēn'ius ĭn hĕr'ĭt ançe măr'*rĭaġe* ŏ pāq*ue'*
ḡ*e*ȳ'sẽr ĭn jṵ'rĭ *o*us mär'tyr [6] ŏp *p*or tū'nĭ tȳ
ḡlā'ciẽr [1] ĭn quĭṣ'ĭ tĭv*e* mȧs q*u*ẽr ād*e'* ôr'*eh*ĕs trạ
ḡlō'rĭ *o*us ĭn sẽr'tiȯn măs'*s*ạ cre [7] ôr'*eh*ĭd
ḡôr'ġ*eo*us ĭn sṵr'ançe [4] măx'ĭ mŭm păr'ạ bl*e*
ḡȯv'ẽrn ment ĭn tĕl'*lĭ* ġent mĕl'an *eh*ŏl ȳ păr'ạ lȳz*e*
ḡrăn'de͡ŭr ĭn trĕp'ĭd mĕm ŏ răn'dum pạ rĕn'thĕ sĭs
ḡ*u*ĭ tär' ĭrk'sȯm*e* mĕ năġ'ẽr ĭ*e* pär'lĭ*a* ment
hē'lĭ ŏ trōp*e* jŏe'ŭ lạr mẽr'ean tĭl*e* pär'tĭ çĭ pl*e*
hĕr'ŏ ĭn*e* jŭḡ'*g*lẽr ȳ mī'erŏ seōp*e* pär tĭ'tiȯn
hĭck'ŏ rȳ jŭn͟c'tiȯn mīl*e'*ȧġ*e* pĕ*a*ṣ'ant
hĭd'ĕ *o*us jṵ'vĕ nĭl*e* mĭl *l*iȯn â*ir*e' pĕn'de͡ŭ lum
hŏ rī'zȯn lăt'ĭ tūd*e* mĭs'*t*le tōe pen ĭn'sŭ lạ
ĭ*l* lĭt'ẽr ȧt*e* laud'ạ bl*e* mŏ nŏp'ŏ lȳ pẽr'jŭr*e*
ĭ*l* lŭs'trāt*e* läu*n*'drȳ mus tȧçh*e'* pẽr pen dĭe'ŭ lạr
ĭm ăġ'ĭ nȧ rȳ lē*i*'sŭr*e* [5] mȳs'tẽr ȳ pẽr sĕ vēr*e'*
ĭm pär'tial lē'nĭ ent nau'se āt*e* [8] pẽr suā'ṣiȯn
ĭn eā'pạ bl*e* l*ie*ŭ tĕn'ant nĕḡ'ạ tĭv*e* phō'tŏ ḡrȧph
ĭn çĕns*e'* [2] lĭn'ĕ ạr nĕḡ'lĭ ġençe phȳ ṣĭ'cian
ĭn çĕn'tĭv*e* lĭt'ẽr ạ tṵ͟r*e* neū'tral pī'rạ çȳ
ĭn elō'sŭr*e* [3] lŏn'ġĭ tūd*e* nō'tĭçe ạ bl*e* plĕn'tĭ fụl
ĭn dĭḡ'nant lȳ çē'um nū*i*'sançe prĕ'ci*o*us
ĭn dĭ vĭd'ū al mạ hŏḡ'ạ nȳ ŏb'stạ el*e* prĕç'ĭ pĭçe
ĭn fē'rĭ ŏr mā'nĭ ăe ŏb'stĭ nȧt*e* prĕj'ụ dĭçe

[1] glā'shēr. [2] verb; noun is ĭn'çĕns*e*. [3] ĭn klō'zhŭr. [4] ĭn shōōr'ançe. [5] lō'zhŭr.
[6] măr'tẽr. [7] -kẽr. [8] nạ'shĕ ăt.

prĕs'*sŭre*[1]	r*h*ȳthm	spĭn'ach[4]	trăns ăet'
prō çē'dŭre	rī'val rȳ	străt'ē ġȳ	trĕ*a*ch'ēr *o*us
prō fī'cient[2]	sĕ*l*m'ȯn	sŭb mạ̀ rīne'	trē*a*'ṣon
prŏph'ē sȳ	săn'ĭ tȧ̀ rȳ	su*f* fī'cient[2]	trō'phȳ
prō pōr'tiȯn	sär'eăṣm	sŭ pēr'flụ *o*us	tŭ ĭ'tiȯn
quạr tĕt'	sā'vōr ȳ	sus pĭ'ci*o*us	tȳr'a*n* nȳ
quī'nīne	se*h*ĕd'ūle	sȳm'*m*ē trȳ	ŭ năn'ĭ m*o*us
rē bĕl'*l*iȯn	seŭlp'tŭre	sȳn'dĭ eȧte	ū'sŭ rȳ[6]
rĕe'ōg nīze	sē mĕs'tēr	sȳn'ō nȳm	văe'ū um
rĕe *o*m mĕnd'	sĕm'ĭ eō lon	tăb'leau[5]	vē'hĭ ele
rē eruṭt'	sĕn'tĭ ment	tăn'tạ̀ līze	vē lŏç'ĭ tȳ
rĕf ēr ee'	sĕn'tĭ nel	tăr'iff	vēr'tĭ eal
rĕġ'ĭ ment	sĕp'ạ̀ rạ̀ ble	tĕl'ē ḡrȧ̀ph	vĭ çĭn'ĭ tȳ
rē it'ēr āte	sĕp'ul e*h*ēr	tĕs'tạ̀ ment	vĭ'cious[7]
rē lĭ'ġiȯn	ser'ġeȧnt[3]	tĕs'tĭ mō nȳ	vōg*ue*
rē mĕm'brançe	sīg'nạ̀ tŭre	tĕx'tŭre	*w*hōle'sȯme
rē pŭb'lie	sĭm'ĭ lạ̀r	thē'ạ̀ tēr	wī*e*ld
rĕṣ ĭg nā'tiȯn	skĕp'tie	tōl'ēr āte	wō*e*'fụl
rē sōurç'ēṣ	slauġ'ĭ tēr	trăġ'ē dȳ	zē'nĭth

NOTE. — Review in oral contest the annual contests of Sections III and IV; also words misspelled during the year.

[1] [illegible] [2] [illegible] [3] [illegible] [4] [illegible] [5] [illegible]
[6] [illegible] [7] [illegible]

SECTION VI

1

am a teur' ad'ju tant

carouse	diligent	aëroplane	adroit
diversion	accustomed	expedient	exodus

He lost his standing as an *amateur* by playing for money. The *adjutant* assisted the colonel in managing the regiment.

2

bat tal'ion bul'le tin

commodity	achieve	apiary	accuracy
appropriation	abolition	abundant	collection

3

can'ta loupe cat'e chism

adhesion	damask	deficit	anarchy
adequate	diagram	niggardly	debauch

4

cut'ler y de clen'sion

academy	ampere	Filipino	algebra
acknowledge	voltage	complacent	gaseous

5

ec cen'tric fin an cier'

inquisitive	honorary	alienate	capsule
confederate	consecrate	arbitrary	celluloid

6[1]

de scend'ant — ben e fi'ci a ry

amateur	adjutant	cutlery	bulletin
cantaloupe	catechism	battalion	declension

7

im'be cile — jar di nière'

antecedent	condemn	copious	contour
conundrum	convenient	aggregate	anonymous

8

ir re sist'i ble — pres tige'

cathedral	costume	covetous	collision
government	corrosion	suggestion	abominable

9

ve rac'i ty — ne ces'si ty

credible	cupola	critical	courier
reiterate	crescent	accountant	anniversary

10

neu ral'gi a — pe ri od'i cal

amicable	criminal	custody	liable
persevere	attorney	authority	auditor

Suggestion: Effective review may be secured by the frequent use of two or three pages of Sections III, IV, and V for oral drill, without previous preparation on the part of the pupils. Note any word misspelled and bring it forward into daily use until its spelling is mastered by all pupils. This follow-up process should be carried out with all words that are misspelled in written work.

[1] Lessons numbered in this manner are to be given Mondays.

11

de ceased′		rec′on cile	
imbecile	financier	similar	conceit
eccentric	jardinière	governor	prestige

12

sci en tif′ic		tech′ni cal	
aviator	magician	cyclone	dispatch
academic	detestable	stationary	apoplexy

13

vac′ci nate		corps	
veracity	docility	irresistible	antitoxin
domineer	necessity	descendant	beneficiary

14

af fi da′vit		chauf feur′	
emigrant	defensible	bayonet	blockade
immigrant	electrician	admittance	frequency

15

cham′ois		co er′cion	
elicit	enmity	bilious	bachelor
equinox	participle	eliminate	employee

Supplementary Ex. 1: Words to be Distinguished

diseased	idle	indict	statue	stationery
deceased	idol	indite	statute	stationary

Use all these words in sentences; for example: We are building a home for *diseased* children. If the *deceased* was the victim of foul play, the grand jury will *indict* the murderer. How could he have *indited* this will?

16

de lir'i ous — col'league

neuralgia — technical — radical — corps
sanatorium — periodical — vaccinate — reconcile

17

fron'tis piece — gaz et teer'

chauffeur — eulogy — blaspheme — ethics
barbarism — deceased — camouflage — baluster

18

pic tur esque' — ir rel'e vant

Catholic — exclusive — erratic — callous
exposure — extravagant — boisterous — inexhaustible

19

lic'o rice — me di e'val

calendar — florid — colonel — campaign
affidavit — felicity — compulsory — scientific

20

op er et'ta — pe cu'ni a ry

fungus — maturity — casual — finite
catarrh — foreboding — casualties — carbonic

Supplementary Ex. 2: Dictation

Full many a gem, of purest ray serene,
The dark unfathomed caves of ocean bear;
Full many a flower is born to blush unseen
And waste its sweetness on the desert air.

—Gray.

21

re pris'al — sem'i na ry

chamois	coercion	irrelevant	delirious
frontispiece	gazetteer	picturesque	institution

22

pneu mo'ni a — rheu'ma tism

cemetery	ignoramus	anarchist	gratis
gravitate	disreputable	ill-natured	granulated

23

an ti sep'tic — aq'ue duct

inert	infidel	ingenious	chivalry
infectious	indelible	medieval	champion

24

com'mis sa ry — car'i ca ture

feature	interval	clemency	criticize
fascinate	interference	intolerant	population

25

e ma'ci at ed — mis cel la'ne ous

kilogram	colleague	licorice	horizon
congenial	committee	recognize	proportion

Suggestion: Reviews of the supplementary exercises in Sections I, II, III, IV, and V will be of service to pupils. Frequent drill may be needed on some exercises. Much care is required in establishing intelligent use of the dictionary. How many pupils are sure that they enunciate the short sounds of vowels correctly? How many are sure that they recognize these sounds when the teacher enunciates them? Daily attention to this work will be of special assistance to careless, backward spellers.

26

crys'tal lize hy'gi ene

operetta	pneumonia	reprisal	aqueduct
pecuniary	rheumatism	antiseptic	seminary

27

in cor'ri gi ble loz'enge

meteor	culinary	military	caricature
manacle	indigestible	commissary	magnetism

28

mi rage' ar'chi tect

oblique	nausea	census	coagulate
chrysalis	obscene	continuous	automatic

29

per en'ni al res'er voir

parody	opiate	parole	deacon
parsimony	literature	cylinder	obtrude

30

sov'er eign in dis'pu ta ble

divine	pensive	debate	defiant
penitence	censure	perfidy	pastoral

Supplementary Ex. 3: Drill in Pronunciation

Bụl gā'rĭ ạ̊, ā'vĭ ā tŏr, ăr'*eh*ĭ tĕet, nŏn'çhạ̊ lant, mạ̊ nĭ'ạ̊ eal, dĭs'pū tạ̊ ble, fuchsia,[1] Ō'mạ̊ hạ, rā'dĭ um, grā'tĭs, năph'thạ̊, ĕx tĕm'pŏ rĕ, eŏn'd*u*ĭt, e*h*ĭ rŏp'ŏ dĭst, ĭ*l* lŭs'trāte, turquoise,[2] dĕs'pĭ eạ̊ ble, ac elĭ'măt ĕd, ĭm'pŏ tent, dĕ çē*a*sed', elăn dĕs'tĭne, ĭ'sŏ thĕrm, dä*u*nt, ĭ*r* rĕp'ạ̊ rạ̊ ble, ŭl tĭ mā'tum.

[1] fū'shĭ ạ̊. [2] tŭr koiz'.

31

asth'ma		con fed'er a cy	
chronic	lozenge	mirage	hygiene
incorrigible	emaciated	crystallize	complexion

32

mag nan'i mous		fic ti'tious	
decoy	perennial	deputy	delegate
miscellaneous	perverted	architect	permeate

33

in cred'i ble		mort'gage	
denial	cafeteria	pungent	plague
ponderous	premium	delicious	denominator

34

fa nat'ic		pleu'ri sy	
principle	prodigy	prodigal	Puritan
presumption	imperious	dialogue	department

35

rhu'barb		sta tis'tics	
convert	dexterity	destitute	drainage
coöperate	compunction	prosperity	reservoir

Supplementary Ex. 4: Dictation

On Washington's principles, and under the guidance of his example, will we and our children uphold the Constitution. . . . To that standard we shall adhere, and uphold it through evil report and through good report. We will meet danger, we will meet death, if they come, in its protection. — WEBSTER.

36

chif fo nier′ vol′a tile

genial sovereign asthma mortgage
insurance magnanimous incredible confederacy

37

auc tion eer′ con ta′gious

surgery physical furnace pygmy
surgeon indisputable specimen federal

38

cha grin′ dex′ter ous

suicide fanatic cypress solicit
fictitious pleurisy fertility suspicious

39

ep′i lep sy in′fan try

subtle issue sumac fraternal
finance subsidy obstacle incidentals

Supplementary Ex. 5: Dictation

It is for us, the living, rather, to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they who fought here have thus far so nobly advanced. It is rather for us to be here dedicated to the great task remaining before us, — that from these honored dead we take increased devotion to that cause for which they gave the last full measure of devotion; that we here highly resolve that these dead shall not have died in vain; that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom; and that government of the people, by the people, and for the people shall not perish from the earth.

— LINCOLN, "Gettysburg Address."

40

FIRST SPELLING CONTEST

battalion	bulletin	cantaloupe	catechism
cutlery	declension	eccentric	financier
descendant	imbecile	beneficiary	jardinière
irresistible	prestige	veracity	necessity
periodical	neuralgia	deceased	reconcile
scientific	technical	vaccinate	corps
affidavit	chauffeur	chamois	coercion
delirious	colleague	frontispiece	gazetteer
picturesque	licorice	irrelevant	medieval
operetta	pecuniary	rheumatism	seminary
pneumonia	reprisal	antiseptic	aqueduct
commissary	hygiene	caricature	emaciated
miscellaneous	mirage	incorrigible	lozenge
crystallize	architect	perennial	reservoir
indisputable	sovereign	confederacy	asthma
magnanimous	fictitious	incredible	mortgage
fanatic	pleurisy	rhubarb	statistics
chiffonier	volatile	auctioneer	contagious
chagrin	dexterous	epilepsy	infantry

amateur adjutant

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

41

cos met'ic — coun'ter feit

function	artificial	frivolous	appearance
injurious	adversary	apparently	distinguished

42

cus to'di an — di lem'ma

rhubarb	dramatic	jugular	subpoena
atrocious	eavesdropper	ludicrous	precarious

43

con sci en'tious — Pas'teur ize

statistics	elegant	document	infantry
collateral	constitution	auctioneer	inflammation

44

em'pha size — drudg'er y

eloquent	inheritance	volatile	epilepsy
enormity	confectionery	electricity	dexterous

45

met ro pol'i tan — in trigue'

enamel	migratory	encore	chiffonier
epitaph	demonstrate	enthusiasm	contagious

Supplementary Ex. 6: Dictation

There are men of esprit who are excessively exhausting to some people. They are the talkers who have what may be called jerky minds. Their thoughts do not run in the natural order of sequence. They say bright things on all possible subjects, but their zigzags rack you to death. After a jolting half-hour with one of these jerky companions, talking with a dull friend affords great relief. — HOLMES.

46

squal'or		ster'i lize	
cosmetic	custodian	Pasteurize	dilemma
chagrin	counterfeit	emphasize	drudgery

47

in sid'i ous		in teg'ri ty	
egotism	disaster	epidemic	derelict
efficiency	detachment	influenza	emergency

48

in trin'sic		gro tesque'	
etiquette	Egyptian	economy	commercial
courteous	masculine	executive	adventure

49

pre ten'tious		ges tic'u late	
culture	conscientious	embassy	evangelist
lieutenant	accommodate	European	equivalent

50

a bridg'ment		rou tine'	
exquisite	negligence	orchid	desperate
laudable	foreclosure	association	mercantile

Supplementary Ex. 7: Word Building; ir the Base

ĭr'ri gate	mĭr'ror	ĭr'ri tate	ĭr ri ta'tion
ĭr'ri tant	ĭr rev'er ent	ĭr reg'u lar	ĭr ri ga'tion

Teachers and pupils may add to this list. Pronounce distinctly. Select other bases and build with them.

51

hy pot'e nuse — bel lig'er ent

insidious	squalor	intrinsic	abroad
metropolitan	condemned	integrity	sterilize

52

hyp'o crite — dé bris'

glacier	grandeur	heretic	chemical
glorious	hurricane	gallows	ammunition

53

prev'a lence — fas tid'i ous

gorgeous	allusion	gauge	sentiment
generosity	incredulous	installment	pretentious

54

gel'a tin — hos'pi ta ble

guitar	intrigue	geyser	intensity
genius	clandestine	larceny	invidious

55

im mac'u late — rev'er ence

agility	aspirant	liability	anthracite
gesticulate	harangue	grotesque	bituminous

Supplementary Ex. 8: Dictation

1. It is chiefly through books that we enjoy intercourse with superior minds, and these invaluable means of communication are in the reach of all. — CHANNING.

2. I believe that in every kingdom, state, or empire there must be, from the necessity of the thing, one supreme legislative power with authority to bind every part.

— SAMUEL ADAMS.

56

ma lig'nant		nu tri'tious	
depreciation	débris	alien	fastidious
abridgment	routine	revolutionary	belligerent

57

symp'toms		pan o ra'ma	
heliotrope	existence	ointment	litigation
perpendicular	personnel	monotonous	ordinance

58

prop a gan'da		de mo'bi lize	
hickory	gelatin	percolator	heroine
vehicle	hospitable	pantomime	suffrage

59

in iq'ui ty		te na'cious	
hypocrite	propriety	hideous	resources
hypotenuse	predicament	prevalence	financial

60

ve'he ment		ha bit'u al	
irksome	spectacle	strategy	assets
illiterate	revulsion	sagacious	rectitude

Supplementary Ex. 9: Dictation

Be useful where thou livest, that they may
Both want and wish thy pleasing presence still.
  Find out men's wants and will,
And meet them there. All worldly joys go less
To the one joy of doing kindnesses. — HERBERT.

61

buoy'ant		bron chi'tis	
reverence	conservation	symptoms	demobilize
panorama	immaculate	malignant	nutritious

62

in i'ti ate		el e men'ta ry	
dialect	insignificant	savory	illustrate
almanac	determination	succulent	impulsive

63

vaude'ville		gym na'si um	
incentive	transparent	university	theology
incapable	propaganda	intelligent	tenacious

64

hy'a cinth		im por tune'	
impartial	revival	incense	project
prospective	indignant	imaginary	calculate

65

stat is ti'cian		men in gi'tis	
inferior	inclosure	aurora	aluminum
excruciating	reputation	aboriginal	approbation

Suggestion: To secure the vocabulary of the school environment, pupils may make a list of ten words that are suggested by each of the following: dry goods, real estate, advertising, agricultural implements, amusements, hotels, architects, art dealers, attorneys, bicycles, automobiles, churches, manufacturers, bakers, confectioners, banks, barbers, lumber, painters, furniture.

66

mon'arch y		ped'a go gy	
bronchitis	habitual	buoyant	develop
vehement	elementary	forfeiture	gymnasium

67

tor'toise		jeop'ard y	
pauper	initiate	intimacy	capricious
indigent	behavior	individual	importune

68

chrys an'the mum		rat i fi ca'tion	
jonquil	itinerary	iniquity	anxiety
hyacinth	confluence	consistency	conceivable

69

al le'giance		lam'en ta ble	
debtor	intrepid	expedite	vaudeville
inclusive	corporation	infallible	credential

70

deg ra da'tion		e man'ci pate	
covenant	thoroughly	corrosive	dedicate
desertion	degenerate	detriment	denomination

Supplementary Ex. 10: Dictation

In point of all-round development, Franklin must stand as the foremost American. The one intent of his mind was to purify his own spirit, to develop his intellect on every side, and make his body the servant of his soul. We know of no man who ever lived a fuller life, a happier life, a life more useful to other men, than Benjamin Franklin. — ELBERT HUBBARD.

71

ec'sta sy		hy poth'e sis	
epithet	meningitis	tortoise	pedagogy
librarian	ratification	monarchy	chrysanthemum

72

in cen'di a ry		e co nom'i cal	
jeopardy	tonsillitis	dubious	dilapidated
statistician	discourteous	junction	disseminate

73

hyp'no tism		per'qui site	
jocular	allegiance	juvenile	symbol
jugglery	electrocute	enormous	fundamental

74

res ti tu'tion		so lic'it ous	
sergeant	latitude	adept	enterprise
lamentable	longitude	exhaust	expenditure

75

lus'cious		aes thet'ic	
lenient	maniac	furlough	award
geometry	insolvent	ferocious	performance

Supplementary Ex. 11: Dictation

When nature made the bluebird she wished to propitiate both the sky and the earth, so she gave him the color of the one on his back and the hue of the other on his breast, and ordained that his appearance in spring should denote that the strife and war between these two elements was at an end.

— BURROUGHS.

76

sub stan'tial		ar te'ri al	
incendiary	economical	ecstasy	perquisite
degradation	emancipate	woeful	hypothesis

77

ma nip'u late		hys ter'ics	
leisure	lyceum	laundry	hypnotism
illustrious	hydrogen	solicitous	restitution

78

en cum'brance		pneu mat'ic	
implicit	companion	luscious	competent
convenience	menagerie	intimidate	substitute

79

ri dic'u lous		strat'a gem	
mediator	faculty	iodine	lucrative
malicious	miniature	mistletoe	jurisprudence

Supplementary Ex. 12: Words Used in the World War

billet	Fŏçh	Entente[3]	Bŏl shĕ vĭk'
convoy	Vĕr dŭN'[1]	Brĕst	Bŏl shĕ vĭ kĭ'
platoon	mŏ rále'	Belleau[4]	Bŏl'shĕ vĭsm
sector	hän'gär	Rēīms	Jugo-Slav[7]
salient	âir'plāne	Meûse	Czecho-Slovak[8]
slacker	barrage[2]	Âr gŏn*ne'*	rĕp ậ rā'tion
exemption	ĭn tĕrn'ment	St. Mihiel[5]	mĭl'ĭ tă rĭsm
mobilize	eăn'ton ment	Versailles[6]	rē hậ bĭl ĭ tā'tion

Add other words to this list; many are given in other parts of this book.

[1] N is not sounded; it indicates that the preceding vowel is nasalized, that is, pronounced as if it were followed by *ng*. [2] bâ rāzh'. [3] ăN tăNT'. [4] bĕl lō'. [5] săN mē yĕl'. [6] vĕr sā'y'. [7] yōō'gō slāv'. [8] chĕk'ŏ slō văk'.

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SECOND SPELLING CONTEST

custodian	dilemma	conscientious	Pasteurize
emphasize	drudgery	metropolitan	intrigue
squalor	sterilize	insidious	integrity
intrinsic	grotesque	pretentious	gesticulate
routine	abridgment	hypotenuse	belligerent
hypocrite	débris	prevalence	fastidious
gelatin	hospitable	immaculate	reverence
malignant	nutritious	symptoms	panorama
iniquity	propaganda	demobilize	tenacious
vehement	habitual	buoyant	bronchitis
initiate	elementary	gymnasium	vaudeville
hyacinth	importune	statistician	meningitis
monarchy	pedagogy	chrysanthemum	jeopardy
tortoise	ratification	degradation	ecstasy
allegiance	emancipate	lamentable	hypothesis
incendiary	economical	hypnotism	perquisite
restitution	solicitous	luscious	aesthetic
arterial	substantial	manipulate	hysterics
ridiculous	pneumatic	encumbrance	stratagem
cosmetic		counterfeit	

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81

am'e thyst a poth'e ca ry

optical masquerade mystery photograph
microscope parallelogram missionary aesthetic

An *amethyst* is a precious stone, colored purple.

82

ap pen di ci'tis as par'a gus

arterial mileage millionaire pharmacy
osteopath provincial peculiarities precedence

83

av oir du pois' col lo'qui al

hysterics manipulate maximum renegade
enervating substantial rhinoceros energetic

84

con cur'rent con'ju gate

despair sedentary precipice sophomore
massacre pneumatic encumbrance admirable

85

con spic'u ous con'tro ver sy

martyr statuary negative neutral
marriage symmetrical ridiculous stratagem

86

co quette' cri te'ri on

amethyst apothecary conjugate colloquial
avoirdupois concurrent appendicitis asparagus

87

cui sine′		chat′tel	
official	vertebra	nuisance	accompanied
accessory	obstinate	nauseate	administration

88

pat′ron age		dic ta to′ri al	
officiate	opaque	oasis	caucus
arbitration	elaborate	associate	affinity

89

bou′le vard		as sas′si nate	
carnivorous	bullion	noticeable	celestial
blasphemous	courageous	orchestra	opportunity

90

per pet′u ate		dis ci′ple	
concourse	coalition	federation	memorandum
allotment	contiguous	persuasion	commonwealth

Supplementary Ex. 13: Dictation

Hence, of all people, children are the most imaginative. They abandon themselves without reserve to every illusion. Every image which is strongly presented to their mental eye produces on them the effect of reality. No man, whatever his sensibility may be, is ever affected by Hamlet or Lear, as a little girl is affected by the story of poor Red Riding Hood. She knows that it is all false, that wolves cannot speak, that there are no wolves in England. Yet, in spite of her knowledge, she believes; she weeps; she trembles; she dares not go into a dark room lest she should feel the teeth of the monster at her throat. Such is the despotism of the imagination over uncultivated minds. — MACAULAY.

91

en vi'ron ment os'tra cize

cuisine	coquette	vogue	criterion
conspicuous	apparel	controversy	dictatorial

92

es'pi o nage ter ri to'ri al

paralyze	circular	curiosity	converge
contemplate	credulous	parenthesis	constituent

93

pur suit' me'di o cre

plentiful	perjure	vicious	delicacy
deposition	chattel	paralysis	debatable

94

in er'ti a in gre'di ent

pendulum	diligence	boulevard	discretion
conception	peninsula	patronage	assassinate

95

in ter me'di ate par'ti san

embezzle	piracy	emulation	dungeon
prejudice	effectual	disconsolate	pessimist

96

lab'o ra to ry va lid'i ty

ostracize	linear	territorial	disciple
espionage	insertion	environment	profession

97

mos qui'to pre co'cious

exaltation	pursuit	extortion	essential
perpetuate	monopoly	expedition	enthusiast

98

typ'i cal pro mis'cu ous

melancholy	proficient	glucose	prophesy
chloroform	testament	ingredient	fraternity

99

vi vac'i ty sou ve nir'

quinine	quartet	inertia	hilarity
imminent	physician	mediocre	hypnotist

100

ste nog'ra phy o le o mar'ga rine

innovation	intuition	usury	infinite
unanimous	indecisive	analogy	reception

101

ex empt'ed vul'ner a ble

definite	precocious	mosquito	abhorrence
typical	intermediate	laboratory	promiscuous

102

suit'a ble aux il'ia ry

partisan	parable	vacuum	souvenir
legislature	admissible	liniment	irreparable

103

co he'sion coun'te nance

velocity mania violence vertical
moccasin validity mysterious mercenary

104

am big'u ous dif'fi dence

vicinity treason vivacity accede
overture observatory slaughter parliamentary

105

re trieve' et y mol'o gy

wield politician conscience pedigree
perpetual recommend precipitate brilliant

106

av'a rice tan'gi ble

pressure peasant countenance cohesion
stenography auxiliary synonymous vulnerable

107

im mu'ni ty ju di'ci a ry

recruit rebellion refrigerator republic
regiment exempted oleomargarine primitive

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108

ar'mi stice ob'li ga to ry

rhythm	reticent	referee	reprieve
satellite	diffidence	civilian	righteous

109

palm'is try punc tu a'tion

burlesque	suitable	synagogue	specific
superstition	resignation	subordinate	rivalry

110

va'ri e gat ed sub scrip'tion

religion	utility	vindictive	biennial
retribution	ambiguous	remembrance	temporary

111

tran quil'li ty vol'un ta ry

depleted	judiciary	retrieve	tangible
immunity	etymology	armistice	obligatory

112

ab bre vi a'tion ru'di ments

skeptic	contingent	avarice	partition
sarcasm	accusation	alderman	adulterate

113

car'bu ret or li mou sine'

aristocracy	sarcastic	schedule	astronomy
specifications	avalanche	palmistry	apparition

114

pre lim'i na ry u nique'

sequence	semicolon	spinach	salmon
punctuation	intrepidity	Coliseum	centenarian

115

gen e al'o gy hem'or rhage

sanitary	signature	specialty	compatible
contemptible	sepulcher	convivial	connivance

116

ig no min'i ous tac'it ly

variegated	bankruptcy	limousine	voluntary
abbreviation	subscription	carburetor	syndicate

117

nar cot'ic ma neu'ver

sculpture	diphthong	deficient	mustache
symmetry	synonym	semester	rudiments

118

ca tas'tro phe ab'scess

perilous	conducive	autocratic	democracy
capillary	superfluous	tranquillity	despondent

119

ty'phoid quar'an tine

unique	antique	testimony	dolphin
aggravate	distinction	preliminary	efficient

120

THIRD SPELLING CONTEST

asparagus	appendicitis	colloquial	avoirdupois
conjugate	concurrent	chattel	controversy
coquette	criterion	cuisine	conspicuous
patronage	dictatorial	disciple	assassinate
perpetuate	boulevard	ostracize	environment
espionage	territorial	pursuit	mediocre
inertia	ingredient	partisan	intermediate
validity	laboratory	mosquito	precocious
typical	promiscuous	vivacity	souvenir
suitable	oleomargarine	vulnerable	exempted
auxiliary	stenography	cohesion	countenance
tangible	abbreviation	retrieve	etymology
avarice	preliminary	immunity	ambiguous
armistice	ignominious	palmistry	punctuation
variegated	subscription	tranquillity	voluntary
diffidence	rudiments	carburetor	limousine
judiciary	unique	genealogy	hemorrhage
obligatory	tacitly	catastrophe	maneuver
narcotic	abscess	typhoid	quarantine
	amethyst		apothecary

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121

ter res'tri al — eq'ui ta ble

tacitly	genealogy	ellipse	excelsior
equipage	hemorrhage	enunciate	systematic

122

tran'sient — clique

tableau	archives	envious	allies
combatant	ignominious	tantalize	conference

123

or'a cle — dem'a gogue

facility	texture	gangrene	narcotic
frivolity	telegraph	flagrancy	maneuver

124

il lu'sion — fric as see'

heredity	catastrophe	tolerate	theater
hypocrisy	acknowledgment	abscess	horizontal

125

ho me o path'ic — im promp'tu

tariff	incongruous	transact	tractable
treatise	inflammatory	typhoid	quarantine

Supplementary Ex. 14: a in Unaccented Syllables, pronounced ā, ȧ, ă, ặ, or with Obscure Sound as in final

man'āge	pref'ăce	Cu'bặ	u'su al
man'dāte	ul'ti māte	A̍ mer'i cặ	ramp'ant
ded'i cāte	as'phălt	Buf'fặ lo	at tend'ance

126

lith'o graph — mac ad'am ize

vocation	clique	oracle	equitable
electrotype	fricassee	terrestrial	demagogue

127

nas tur'tium — na tiv'i ty

tuition	trophy	Pharisee	Israelite
leprosy	inventory	spiritual	interpose

128

pen i ten'tia ry — nav'i ga ble

whimsical	zenith	monastery	civics
meritorious	transient	wholesome	mariner

129

sar sa pa ril'la — ther mom'e ter

obviate	penurious	illusion	oxidize
patriarch	opportune	nitrogen	nucleus

130

main'te nance — a'ër o naut

predecessor	priority	physics	porcelain
administrator	cancellation	relaxation	mahogany

Supplementary Ex. 15: e in Unaccented Syllables, pronounced ĕ, ĕ, ĕ, ĕ, or with Obscure Sound as in prudent

ĕ vent'	for ev'ĕr	col'lĕge	colo'nel
ben'ĕ fit	ob'so lĕte	priv'i lĕge	mon'u ment
tel'ĕ gram	dĕ plor'a ble	ĕx pĕ di'tious	in'tel lĕct

131

phos'phate se ren'i ty

nasturtium	lithograph	apostle	macadamize
homeopathic	impromptu	nativity	penitentiary

132

cir cum stan'tial co ef fi'cient

autopsy	scorpion	revenue	subsistence
anomaly	requisite	socialism	sarsaparilla

133

guar an tee' con cil'i ate

venison	chronicle	Amazon	supplement
terminal	transgress	abduction	thermometer

134

dis guise' con va les'cent

guise	allegory	tyrant	abyss
adversity	adoration	navigable	alimentary

135

cor'pus cle cre'o sote

cholera	arsenal	cycle	antiquity
collusion	morose	strenuous	approximate

Supplementary Ex. 16: i in Unaccented Syllables, pronounced ĭ, ĭ, or ī

or'i gĭn	ta'pĭr	bī ol'o gy	bro'mīde
pal'lĭd	na'dĭr	crī te'rĭ on	sul'phīte
dĭs patch'	pac'ĭ fĭst	Phil'ĭp pĭnes	sac'rĭ fĭce

136

re cip'ro cate — an aes thet'ic

aëronaut	coefficient	conciliate	procedure
guarantee	circumstantial	separable	maintenance

137

de nun ci a'tion — de rog'a to ry

serenity	council	banquet	obstinacy
biography	corporal	caravan	commandant

138

de te'ri o rate — diph the'ri a

caboose	concussion	asterisk	chemistry
precious	convalescent	naphtha	concentrate

139

dis crep'an cy — dis par'age

infatuate	corroborate	devout	conjecture
disguise	consecutive	delinquent	contribution

140

do mes'ti cate — dys pep'si a

phosphate	character	croquet	coupon
competitor	defendant	decision	deceptive

Supplementary Ex. 17: o in Unaccented Syllables, pronounced ȯ, ŏ, ō, ȯ, or with Obscure Sound as in connect

big'ȯt	fur'rōw	ȯ pin'iȯn	di'a lŏgue
fag'ȯt	prō voke'	tel'e scōpe	cat'a lŏgue
pro'tō cōl	of fend'ed	prŏp ȯ si'tiȯn	con tin'u al

141

em broid'er y en cy clo pe'di a

corpuscle	creosote	anaesthetic	absorbent
denunciation	derogatory	deteriorate	diphtheria

142

tu ber cu lo'sis e qui noc'tial

episode	diagnose	parliament	defunct
emperor	departure	congregation	derision

143

er y sip'e las con sen'sus

discipline	distortion	diploma	disparage
indispensable	discussion	discrepancy	disposition

144

in com'pa ra ble ex traor'di na ry

alumni	eclipse	eloquence	anguish
elocution	emerald	reciprocate	elegance

145

hy dro pho'bi a hy drau'lic

submarine	sentinel	eternal	deposit
equestrian	endurance	encampment	designer

Supplementary Ex. 18: u in Unaccented Syllables, pronounced ŭ, ů, ū, ụ, ṵ, or with Obscure Sound as in circus

ŭn do'	ŭn seat'	ac'cū rate	in'sti tūte
sū preme'	ŭn hitch'	ŭn dū la'tion	Feb'rụ a ry
av'e nūe	er'ụ dite	ūl ti ma'tum	sup plied'

146

in can des'cent glyc'er in

tuberculosis	dyspepsia	erysipelas	counsel
domesticate	equinoctial	embroidery	encyclopedia

147

fu'gi tive in qui si'tion

exterior	felony	fidelity	facial
exonerate	experiment	consensus	extraordinary

148

em bar'rass im ma te'ri al

gorilla	guardian	tyranny	genesis
evolution	galvanize	fortitude	franchise

149

fu sil lade' ex ag'ger ate

idolatry	evidence	hostility	fumigate
humorous	imperative	impudence	hesitancy

150

met a phys'ics mil len'ni um

conveyance	treacherous	skepticism	incomparable
consignment	initiation	inclemency	inconsistent

Supplementary Ex. 19: Dictation

Yet I doubt not through the ages one increasing purpose runs,
And the thoughts of men are widened with the process of the suns. — TENNYSON.

151

or ni thol′o gy scru′pu lous

glycerin	inquisition	immaterial	hydrophobia
hydraulic	embarrass	currency	incandescent

152

pe tro′le um phe nom′e non

fatigue	kangaroo	insurgent	invincible
fatiguing	interrogation	fusillade	intemperance

153

al lege′ i ras′ci ble

lyric	conscious	larynx	lymph
literary	assign	manikin	leopard

154

in i′ti a tive pro cras′ti nate

culpable	municipal	sufficient	monetary
fugitive	referendum	metaphor	exaggerate

155

psy chol′o gy rem i nis′cence

officious	besiege	paradox	oblivion
optimism	opponent	obsolete	oblivious

156

con de scend′ spon ta′ne ous

pernicious	millennium	allege	metaphysics
petroleum	phenomenon	supersede	conservatory

157

in'sti gate — weird

pique	perdition	tragedy	initiative
irascible	possession	pennant	pedestal

158

be reave' — a sy'lum

privacy	premises	forage	propensity
profusion	reciprocal	precinct	precipitous

159

a cous'tics — vi va'cious

luxuriant	ornithology	clinic	significant
scrupulous	entomology	syringe	development

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FOURTH SPELLING CONTEST

transient	clique	demagogue	oracle
impromptu	fricassee	homeopathic	illusion
lithograph	phosphate	nasturtium	nativity
penitentiary	navigable	sarsaparilla	guarantee
maintenance	aëronaut	macadamize	serenity
circumstantial	coefficient	thermometer	conciliate
convalescent	disguise	corpuscle	creosote
reciprocate	anaesthetic	denunciation	derogatory
deteriorate	diphtheria	discrepancy	disparage
domesticate	dyspepsia	encyclopedia	embroidery

equinoctial	tuberculosis	erysipelas	incomparable
consensus	extraordinary	hydraulic	hydrophobia
glycerin	incandescent	fugitive	inquisition
embarrass	immaterial	fusillade	exaggerate
irascible	millennium	scrupulous	ornithology
petroleum	phenomenon	allege	metaphysics
initiative	procrastinate	psychology	reminiscence
condescend	spontaneous	instigate	acoustics
bereave	asylum	weird	vivacious
terrestrial		equitable	

NOTE. — Add other words which have been misspelled during the past two months.

ANNUAL SPELLING CONTEST

a*b* brē vĭ ā′tiŏn	ăm ặ tē*u*r′	ăr tē′rĭ al	bĕ*l* lĭġ′ĕr ent
ặ brĭdġ′ment	ăm bĭḡ′ŭ *o*us	ăs păr′ặ ḡus	bĕn ē fĭ′cĭ ā rȳ [1]
ăb′scĕss	ăm′ē thȳst	a*s* săs′*s*ĭ nāt*e*	bē rē*a*v*e*′
ặ *eo*u̧s′tĭes	ăn *a*ĕs thĕt′ĭe	ăṣ*th*′mặ	bo*u*̧′lē värd
ăd′jụ tant	ăn tĭ sĕp′tĭe	ặ sȳ′lum	brŏn̲ e*h*ĭ′tĭs
ā′ĕr ō naut	ặ pŏth′ē eā rȳ	aue tiŏn eer′	bụl′*l*ē tĭn
*a*ĕs thĕt′ĭe	a*p* pĕn dĭ çĭ′tĭs	auẋ ĭl′iặ rȳ	b*u*oy′ant
ăf *f*ĭ dā′vĭt	ăq′uē dŭet	ăv′ặ rĭç*e*	eăn′tā lo*u*̧p*e*
a*l* lĕġ*e*′	ăr′e*h*ĭ tĕet	ăv oĭr du poiṣ′	eär′bū rĕt ŏr
a*l* lē′ġ*i*ançe	ăr′mĭ stĭç*e*	ba*t* tăl′iŏn	eăr′ĭ eặ t̆ū*re*

[1] bĕn ē fĭsh′ĭ ā rȳ.

eạ tăs′trŏ phĕ
eăt′ĕ *eh*ĭşm
çhặ ḡrĭn′
çhăm′*oĭs*
chăt′*tel*
çhau*f* fe*u*r′ [1]
çhĭf *f*ŏ n*i*ĕr′
*eh*rĭs ăn′thĕ mum
çĭr eum stăn′tial
elĭq*ue*
eō ĕ*f* fĭ′cient [2]
eŏ ĕr′ciŏn
eŏ hē′şiŏn
eŏl′*lē*a*ḡue*
eo*l* lō′quĭ al
eŏm′*m*ĭs są̆ rĭ
eon çĭl′ĭ ăte
eon eŭr′*r*ent
eŏn dĕ scĕnd′
eon fĕd′ĕr ặ çĭ
eŏn′jụ ḡăte
eŏn scĭ ĕn′tious [3]
eon sĕn′sus
eon spĭe′ŭ ous
dĕ scĕnd′ant
dĕ tē′rĭ ŏ rāte
dĕx′tĕr ous
dĭe tặ tō′rĭ al
dĭf′*f*ĭ dençe
dĭf′*f*ĭ dençe
dĭ lĕm′*m*ặ
dĭ lĕm′*m*ặ
dĭ*s* çĭ′ple
dĭs çĭ′ple
dĭs erĕp′an çĭ
dĭs ḡ*u*ĭşe′
dĭs ḡ*u*ĭşe′
dŏ mĕs′tĭ eāte
drŭdġ′ĕr ĭ
dĭ*s* pĕp′sĭ ặ
dĭ*s* pĕp′sĭ ặ
ĕe çĕn′trĭe
ĕe′stặ sĭ
ĕl ē mĕn′tặ rĭ
ē mā′cĭ āt ĕd [5]
ē mā′cĭ āt ĕd [5]
ē mă′nçĭ pāte
ĕm băr′*r*ass
ĕm broid′ĕr ĭ
ē ăl′ŏ ġĭ
ĕm′phặ sĭze
ĕm′phặ sĭze
ĕn eŭm′brançe
ĕn çĭ elŏ pē′dĭ ặ
ĕn vĭ′rŏn ment
ĕp′ĭ lĕp sĭ
eō quĭ nŏe′tial
ĕq′uĭ tặ ble
ĕr ĭ sĭp′ĕ las
ĕs′pĭ ŏ nặġe
ĕt ĭ mŏl′ŏ ġĭ
ĕx ăġ′*g*ĕr āte
ĕx ĕmpt′ĕd
ĕx tra*ô*r′dĭ nặ rĭ
fặ năt′ĭe
făs tĭd′ĭ ous
fĭe tĭ′tious
fĭn an çĭ*e*r′
frĭe ặ*s* see′
frŏn′tĭs p*ie*çe
fū′ġĭ tĭve
fū ş*ll* lāde′
ḡăz *et* teer′
ġĕl′ặ tĭn
ġĕn ē ăl′ŏ ġĭ
ġĕs tĭe′ŭ lāte

[1] shō fŭr′. [2] -fĭsh′ent. [3] kŏn shĭ ĕn′shus. [4] dā brē′. [5] ēmā′shĭ āt ĕd

grō tĕsq*ue*′	ĭm prŏmp′tū	jár dĭ nière′[4]	mĭs *cel* lā′nĕ *ous*
g*u*ăr an tee′	ĭn ean dĕs′*c*ent	jĕ*o*p′ȧ̂rd ў	mŏn′ȧ̂re*h* ў
ġўm nā′ṣĭ um	ĭn çĕn′dĭ ȧ̂ rў	jụ dĭ′cĭ ȧ̂ rў[5]	môr*t*′gȧ̂ġe
hȧ̂ bĭt′ṻ al	ĭn eŏm′pȧ̂ rȧ̂ ble	lăb′ŏ rȧ̂ tō rў	mos q*u*ĭ′tō
hĕm′*or* r*h*ȧ̂ġe	ĭn eŏr′*r*ĭ ġĭ ble	lăm′en tȧ̂ ble	năr eŏt′ĭe
hō mĕ ŏ păth′ĭe	ĭn erĕd′ĭ ble	lĭe′ŏ rĭçe	năs tûr′tium[9]
hŏs′pĭ tȧ̂ ble	ĭn dĭs′pū tȧ̂ ble	lĭ mo*u* ṣĭne′	nȧ̂ tĭv′ĭ tў
hў′ȧ̂ çĭnth	ĭn ĕr′tĭ ȧ̂[1]	lĭth′ŏ grȧ̂ph	năv′ĭ gȧ̂ ble
hў drau′lĭe	ĭn′fan trў	lŏz′ĕnġe	nĕ çĕs′*s*ĭ tў
hў drŏ phō′bĭ ȧ̂	ĭn grē′dĭ ent	lŭs′cious[6]	ne*u* răl′ġĭ ȧ̂
hў′ġĭ ēne	ĭn ĭq′uĭ tў	mae ăd′am ĭze	nū trĭ′tious
hўp′nŏ tĭṣm	ĭn ĭ′tĭ āte[2]	măḡ năn′ĭ mo*u*s	ŏb′lĭ gȧ̂ tō rў
hўp′ŏ erĭte	ĭn ĭ′tĭ ȧ̂ tĭve[3]	mā*i*n′tĕ nançe	ō lĕ ŏ mär′ḡȧ rĭne
hў pŏt′ĕ nūse	ĭn quĭ ṣĭ′tiŏn	mȧ̂ lĭḡ′nant	ŏp ĕr ĕt′*t*ȧ̂
hў pŏth′ĕ sĭs	ĭn sĭd′ĭ *ous*	mȧ̂ ne*u*′vĕr	ŏr′ȧ̂ ele
hўs tĕr′ĭes	ĭn′stĭ ḡāte	mȧ̂ nĭp′ū lāte	ôr nĭ thŏl′ŏ ġў
ĭḡ nŏ mĭn′ĭ *ous*	ĭn tĕḡ′rĭ tў	mē dĭ ē′val	ŏs′trȧ̂ çĭze
ĭ*l* lū′ṣiŏn	ĭn tĕr mē′dĭ ȧ̂te	mē′dĭ ō cre[7]	pä*l*m′ĭs trў
ĭm′bĕ çĭle	ĭn trĭḡue′	mĕn ĭn ġĭ′tĭs	păn ŏ rä′mȧ̂
ĭ*m* mäe′ū ȧ̂te	ĭn trĭn′sĭe	mĕt ȧ̂ phўṣ′ĭes	pär′tĭ ṣan
ĭm *m*ȧ̂ tē′rĭ al	ĭ răs′*c*ĭ ble	mĕt rŏ pŏl′ĭ tan	Pȧs′tĕ*u*r ĭze
ĭ*m* mū′nĭ tў	ĭ*r* rĕl′ĕ vant	mĭ*l* lĕn′*n*ĭ um	păt′rŏn ȧ̂ġe
ĭm pŏr tūne′	ĭr *r*ĕ ṣĭst′ĭ ble	mĭ rage′[8]	pĕ eū′nĭ ȧ̂ rў

[1] ĭn ĕr′shĭ ȧ̂. [2] ĭn ĭsh′ĭ ȧ̂t. [3] ĭn ĭsh′ĭ ȧ̂ tĭv. [4] zhär dē nyär′. [5] jōō dĭsh′ĭ ȧ̂ rў.
[6] lŭsh′us. [7] -kēr. [8] mē rāzh′. [9] nȧs tûr′shum.

pĕd'ą̣ gō ġȳ
pĕn ĭ tĕn'tią̣ rȳ
per ĕn'*n*ĭ al
pē rĭ ŏd'ĭ eal
pĕr pĕt'ū ā*te*
pĕr'quĭ ṣĭ*te*
pē trō'lē um
phē nŏm'ē nŏn
phŏs'phā*te*
pĭe tūr ĕsq*ue'*
pleṵ'rĭ sȳ
*p*neū măt'ĭe
*p*neū mō'nĭ ą̣
prē eō'cious
r*he*ṵ'mą̣ tĭṣm
prē lĭm'ĭ nā rȳ
r*h*ṵ'bärb
prĕs tige'[1]
prē tĕn'tious
prĕv'ą̣ len*ç*e
prō erăs'tĭ nā*te*
prō mĭs'eū *o*us
scī en tĭf'ĭe
prŏp ą̣ gān'dą̣
serṵ'pū lous
psȳ e*h*ŏl'ō ġȳ
pūne tū ā'tiŏn
pū*i*t'
quar'an tĭ*ne*
soṵ vē nĭr'
spŏn tā'nē *o*us
squal'or
stăt ĭs tĭ'cian
stą̣ tĭs'tĭes
stē nŏg'rą̣ phȳ
stĕr'ĭ lĭ*ze*
străt'ą̣ ġĕm
sub serĭp'tiŏn
sub stăn'tial
sū*i*t'ą̣ ble
sȳmp'tŏmṣ
tăç'ĭt lȳ
tăn'ġĭ ble
tĕe*h*'nĭ eal
tē nā'cious
tĕ*r* rĕs'trĭ al
sĕm'ĭ nā rȳ
sē rĕn'ĭ tȳ
sō lĭç'ĭt *o*us
soṵ vē nĭr'
trăn quĭl'*l*ĭ tȳ
trăn'sient[3]
tū bĕr eū lō'sĭs
tȳ'phoid
tȳp'ĭ eal
ū nĭq*ue'*
vāe'çĭ nā*te*
vą̣ lĭd'ĭ tȳ
vā'rĭ ē gāt ĕd
vaude'vĭl*le*[4]
vē'hē ment
vē răç'ĭ tȳ
vī vā'cious
vī văç'ĭ tȳ
vŏl' ą̣ tĭ*le*
vŏl'un tā rȳ
vŭl'nĕr ą̣ ble
wē*i*rd

NOTE. — Review in oral contest the annual contests of Sections IV and V; also words misspelled during the year.

[1] prĕs tĕzh'. [2] rĕz'ĕr vwôr. [3] -shent. [4] vōd'vĭl.

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Written List

which	disappear	regretted	chimney
separate	mischief	noticeable	necessarily
develop	character	restaurant	partition
whether	pursue	curiosity	capitol
February	origin	miniature	muscle
benefited	exercise	poem	preparation
grammar	handkerchief	brethren	victuals
accommodate	potatoes	persevere	disease
embarrass	iron	umbrella	millinery
business	together	arctic	sovereign
acquiesce	beginning	particular	mischievous
parallel	surprise	adjacent	several
judgment	thorough	pumpkin	laboratory
until	negroes	except	balloon
management	fulfill	recognize	geography
analysis	principal	similar	cistern
lettuce	professor	admittance	misspelled
elm	descendant	irrelevant	equipage
precede	government	foreigner	cemetery
occasion	analyze	deceit	conscience
divisible	detached	hygiene	architect
changeable	governor	siege	stationery
supersede	cleanse	niece	athletic
occurrence	vertical	alley	convenience
committee	prejudice	ceiling	sufficient

Oral List

busy	immediate	believe	receive
salary	expense	speak	sieve
raisin	recommend	aqueduct	neuter
juicy	disease	license	salad
axle	truly	skillful	jewel
gingham	cabbage	vinegar	proceed
cedar	celery	prairie	panel
arithmetic	forcible	kerosene	cancellation
disconsolate	argument	extravagant	battlement
accomplishment	accident	get	intemperance
educate	rather	visible	American
capabilities	candidate	animal	engine
yet	Italian	solemn	definition
ceremony	genuine	barbarism	clemency
representative	collateral	volunteer	gracious
fatigue	excessive	countenance	collapse
seize	reverence	indelible	vaccinate
apparatus	acid	salve	dissatisfy
strategy	emanate	perilous	caterpillar
ascend	decimal	knowledge	elevate
area	position	gnaw	guise
criticize	Benjamin	syllable	maintain
dying	cereal	exempted	eulogy
tactful	convalescent	territorial	necessity
weird	exhilarate	latter	inquisitive
correspond	condescend	foreign	irresistible
wonder	wander	recede	disappear
secretary	deference	urgent	fulfill
perilous	supreme	drowned	address

lemon	magazine	tariff	mattress
sheriff	to	too	two
write	through	their	there
every	guide	sure	children
careful	already	altogether	certain
daily	enough	shoulder	weather
meant	tongue	village	principle
straight	scholar	language	occur
ankle	boundary	sentence	relative
declarative	refer	applaud	rinse
adhere	offense	rehearse	grateful
rustle	object	recess	discord
influence	express	illustrate	peaceable
blamable	sensible	baggage	fairies
capitol	decease	illusion	allusion
petition	spherical	scheme	remedy
villain	tragedy	strategy	accidentally
farthest	fiery	religious	neuralgia
excellent	haggard	immaterial	apparel
possession	massacre	managing	vicious
predecessor	plausible	righteous	paralyze
miracle	organization	stationary	definite
advertisement	gas	adjustable	experiment
accept	Harvard	providence	statement
sentiment	benevolence	amusement	parliament
independent	rudiments	audience	prominent
vehement	electricity	irascible	indispensable
history	equipped	lieutenant	creditor
superintendent	fragile	admission	business

PRONUNCIATION CONTEST

bouquet	preferable	bisect	millionaire
incomparable	lamentable	address	statistician
indisputable	rise (n.)	nonchalant	pronunciation
inquiry	despicable	gallant	contrary
impious	Italian	mustache	exemplary
Iowa	franchise	alternate	obligatory
disreputable	accent (v.)	acclimated	frustum
New Orleans	accent (n.)	contrast (v.)	forehead
Cincinnati	discourse	automobile	disputable
Seattle	mischievous	obliquely	chauffeur
picturesque	precedent(n.)	laureate	depot
exquisite	precedence	experiment	salmon
meningitis	gross	biography	Roosevelt
finance	romance	St. Louis	attacked
appendicitis	route	Illinois	envelope
Arab	suite	squalor	Evangeline
Concord	creek	recess	area
Danish	maniacal	waylaid	débris
docile	often	lyceum	début
frontier	almond	illustrate	guardian
legislative	façade	advertisement	Hiawatha
research	telegrapher	politic	cupola
vehement	juvenile	Arkansas	cerebrum
water	Palestine	Missouri	abdomen
zoölogy	dynamite	economical	Los Angeles

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